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長い間、父親と微妙な関係が続く藍。そんな2人を仲直りさせようと、紗和は藍の父親のもとへと向かって…？ そして紗和と藍の恋、その結末は…？ 感動の最終巻!!

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SHE'S NOT PICKING UP HER CELL...
And she's not responding to texts...
WHERE DID SHE GO?
KONISHI...
What happened?
.....
.....
I HAVE A BAD FEELING...
EH?
A really bad feeling...

!?
!
WHA...
WHAT WAS THAT ALL ABOUT?!

I'M PREPARING FOR A TRIP TOMORROW.
PARDON THE MESS.
UH...
I'M SO NERVOUS!
UH WAH WAH WAH WAH WAH WAH!
I JUST CAME HERE WITHOUT THINKING, AND NOW...
FIDGET
SO,
YOU CAME TO SAY...?
RRRRRRRR
RRRRRRRR
RRRRRRRR
I think I'm doing something incredibly brave but stupid...

RRRRR
YES,
I'M AT MY MAIN RESIDENCE RIGHT NOW.
BEEP
EXCUSE ME.
HELLO.
OH, I BELIEVE THAT DOCUMENT IS AT MY OTHER HOUSE.
I'LL COME OVER AFTER I'VE BEEN THERE.
"Other house."
BEEP
...YOU AND RAN-KUN DON'T LIVE TOGETHER,
DO YOU?
I'VE HEARD THAT YOU'RE NEVER REALLY AT HOME.

WHY IS THAT?
...THIS...

IT IS MY FAMILY'S...
PRIVATE BUSINESS.
YOU SHOULD NOT CONCERN YOURSELF WITH IT.

YOU BARELY SPEAK TO RAN.
AND YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND HIS FEELINGS.
CAN YOU REALLY CALL YOURSELF A FAMILY?
...RAN...

In any case...
I doubt they've touched each other since that day.
AND HIS FATHER TURNED AWAY FROM HIM AT HER FUNERAL.
HE ALWAYS FELT THAT HIS FATHER BLAMED HIM.
HE SAID HIS MOTHER DIED BECAUSE OF HIM.
DID YOU KNOW ANY OF THIS AT ALL!?
The director is such a cold person.

WHAT PARENTS DO...
WHAT PARENTS SAY...
IT ALL LEAVES A HUGE IMPRESSION ON A CHILD...!
I...
...
PARENTS...
I've never felt that my parents didn't love me, but...
HUH?
NOBODY'S ANSWERING...
I'M BACK!
But still...
Still...
I felt a little lonely.

I wasn't a little girl anymore, but from time to time, I still felt gloomy.
YOU COULD HAVE MANY FRIENDS,
YOU COULD HAVE LOTS OF PEOPLE YOU LIKE BY YOUR SIDE,
It's still the same today.
Any time Mom gives me a hug, I instantly feel happy.
BUT THERE ARE MANY SITUATIONS WHEN YOU NEED YOUR FAMILY.

THAT'S SOMETHING THAT NOBODY ELSE CAN TAKE THE PLACE OF!
THIS LOVE HAS TO COME FROM YOU!
HE HAS ALWAYS BEEN WAITING!

BUT WHY...?
WON'T YOU EVEN THINK OF LOOKING AT RAN...!?

ALRIGHT, THAT'S ENOUGH.
RAN...
REALLY,
LISTENING TO YOU RANT ABOUT AWKWARD ISSUES IS JUST...

B-
BUT...
I SAID THAT'S ENOUGH.
LET'S GO.
YOU CAN'T!!
I DIDN'T KNOW...
"HE SAID HIS MOTHER DIED BECAUSE OF HIM."
THAT YOU FELT THAT WAY ABOUT YOUR MOTHER'S DEATH...
I DIDN'T KNOW...

WELL...
IT'S THE TRUTH.
IT'S NOT TRUE!
IF THAT'S WHAT YOU THINK...
THEN BLAME ME! I WAS THE ONE WHO CHASED YOU OUT OF THE HOUSE!
I HAVE ALWAYS BELIEVED THAT IT WAS MY FAULT...
BUT I NEVER KNEW HOW TO BE WARM TOWARDS YOU.
YOUR MOTHER WAS ALWAYS BETTER AT THAT SORT OF THING.

...I WAS NEVER WARM TOWARDS YOU...

"YOU WANT TO GO TO A HIGH SCHOOL OUTSIDE THE PREFECTURE?"
"NO."
I WAS WORRIED. YOU ALWAYS LOOKED SO TROUBLED.
I THOUGHT IT WOULD BE BETTER FOR YOU TO GO TO A SCHOOL WHERE I COULD BE NEARBY...
.....
Was it out of spite?
Or...
Was it out of caring...?
HOW IRONIC...
WHAT I DID OUT OF LOVE TURNED OUT TO BE COUNTER-PRODUCTIVE.
JUST HOW...
DID THINGS COME TO THIS?

WHAT "LOVE"?
YOU WERE ALWAYS HIDING FROM ME.
THE DAY YOU JUMPED FROM THAT BALCONY AT SCHOOL...
I WAS SCARED HALF TO DEATH WATCHING YOU SLEEP IN YOUR HOSPITAL ROOM.
I THOUGHT THAT IF YOU WANTED TO GET AWAY FROM ME SO BADLY,
IT WOULD BE BEST FOR ME TO LEAVE HOME.
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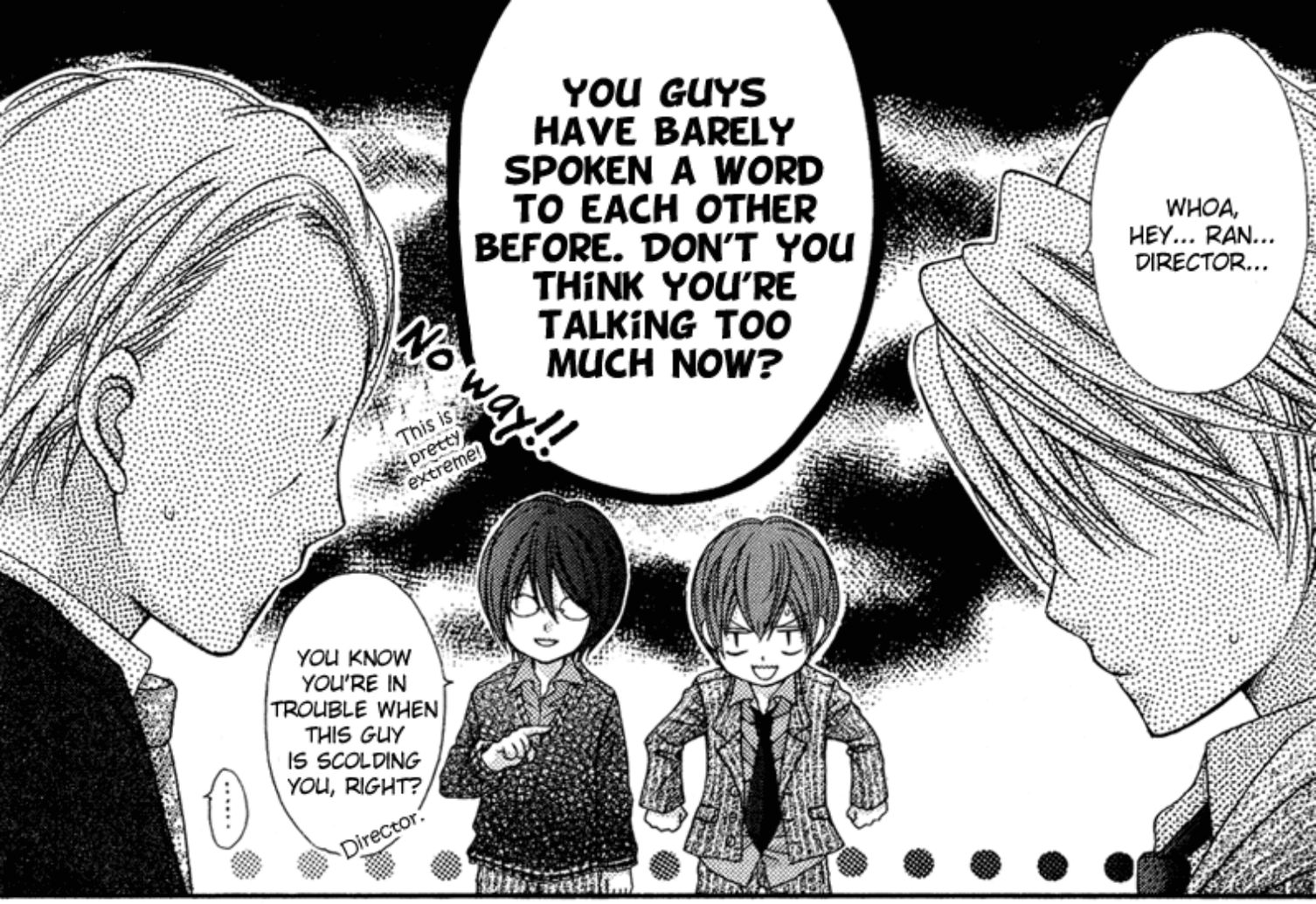

YOU GUYS HAVE BARELY SPOKEN A WORD TO EACH OTHER BEFORE. DON'T YOU THINK YOU'RE TALKING TOO MUCH NOW?
No way!!
This is pretty extreme!
WHOA, HEY... RAN... DIRECTOR...
YOU KNOW YOU'RE IN TROUBLE WHEN THIS GUY IS SCOLDING YOU, RIGHT?
Director.
.....

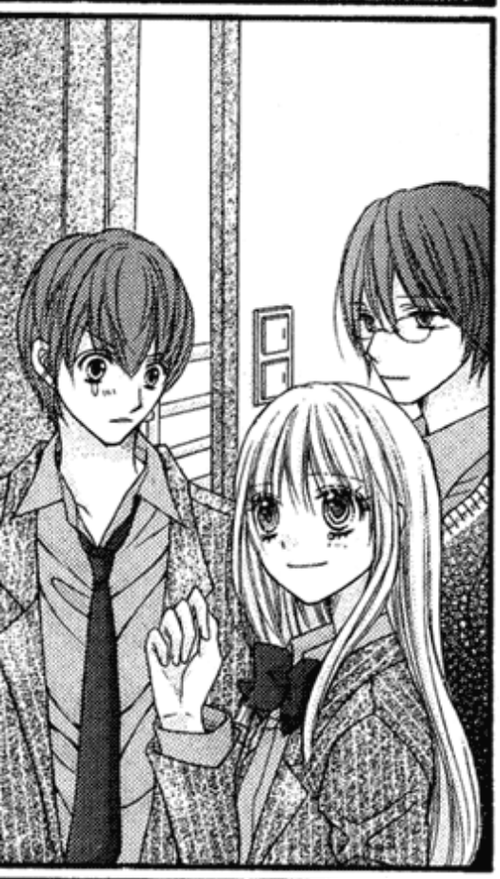
.....
AT YOUR MOTHER'S FUNERAL...

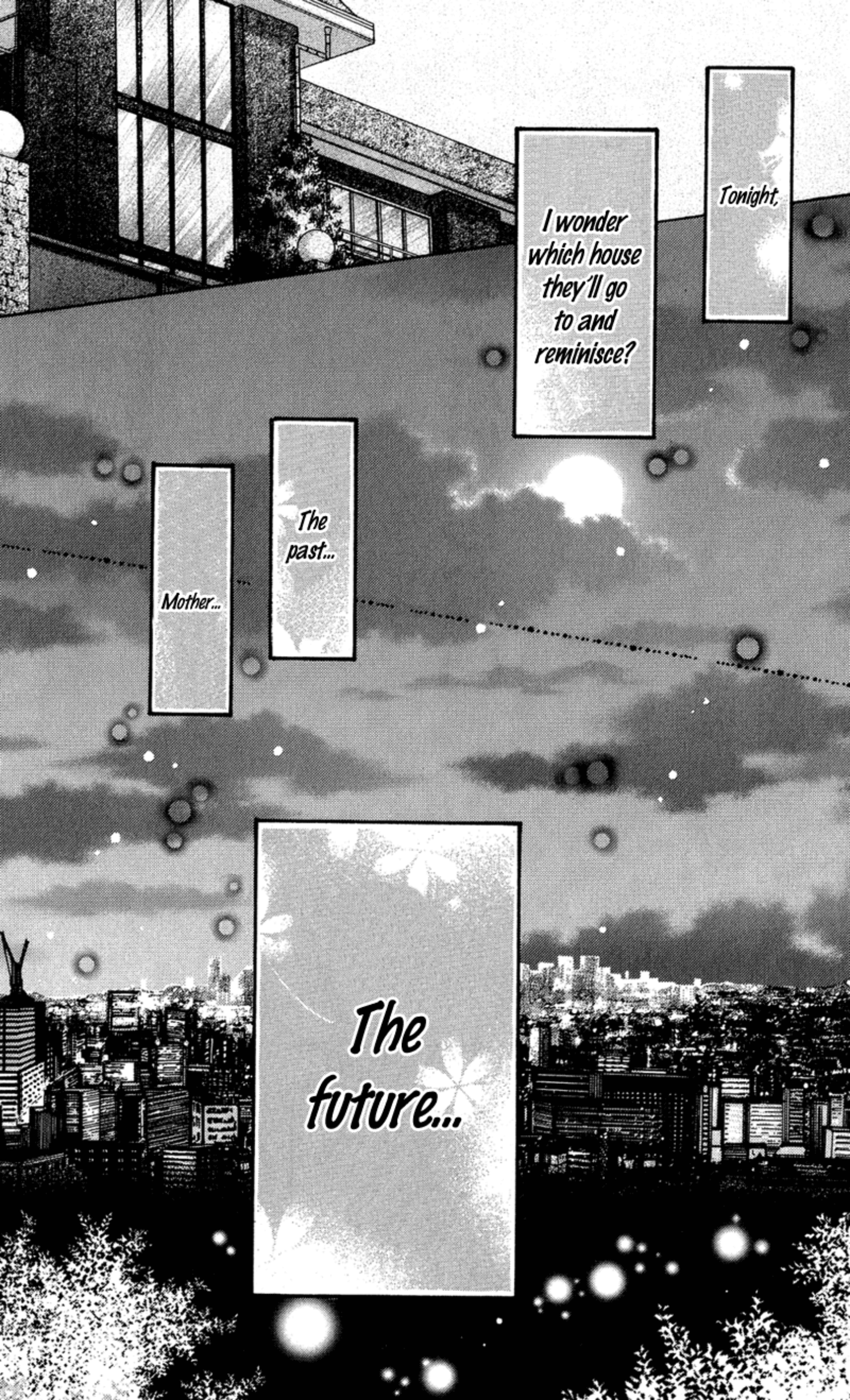
YOU WERE ONLY AS TALL AS MY SHOULDER...
HOW LONG HAS IT BEEN...
SINCE I HAVE PROPERLY TALKED TO YOU?

YOUR MOTHER'S PASSING WAS NOT YOUR FAULT.
I HAVE LEFT YOU IN SUCH PAIN...
IT WAS NOT YOUR FAULT, RAN.
FOR SO LONG...

.....
UM... IT'S...
IT'S REALLY OKAY...

IT'S JUST THAT...
I'VE ALWAYS BEEN SO LONELY...




Tonight,
I wonder which house they'll go to and reminisce?
The past...
Mother...
The future...

They'll have no problem.

The time that was frozen has sprung back to life...

It will never stop again.

You guys are annoying!
Okay!
Okay!
MATSUYUKI.
AWWW~ HE'S BLUSHING ~
This guy~
Hey~
HOW'D IT GO? HOW'D IT GO?
DID YOU TALK WITH YOUR DAD A LOT LAST NIGHT?
.....
Tell us all about it!
I HAVEN'T HAD A CHANCE TO PROPERLY THANK YOU.

NO MATTER WHAT...
I STILL ... HAVE TO THANK YOU.
WELL, YOU PROBABLY WON'T BE SATISFIED EVEN AFTER I'VE THANKED YOU!
WHY?
Did you just ask "Why"?
What?!
YOU'RE ASKING WHY...
I THINK YOU MISUNDER-STAND.
I DON'T HATE YOU.
.....

ABOUT SAWA...
YOU'RE A DECENT GUY.
AND YOU HAVE A LOT OF SELF-CONFIDENCE.
ACTUALLY, I WISH I HAD SOME OF THAT.
Heh.
I CAN UNDER-STAND...
WHY SHE CHOSE YOU.
BUT STILL ...
MAYBE NOT RIGHT NOW...

ONE DAY, I'LL STEAL HER BACK.
SUGISHITA!
THERE ARE FIRST-YEARS OUTSIDE.
They're all looking for you.

UH...
UMM...
WE HAVE A QUESTION FOR YOU!
THERE ARE RUMORS THAT YOU'RE DATING A CLASSMATE OF YOURS.
ARE YOU?
WE KNOW YOU CAN'T REALLY MAKE IT PUBLIC BECAUSE OF YOUR WORK,
BUT WE REALLY WANT TO KNOW...
NO.
I'M NOT DATING ANYONE RIGHT NOW.

SEE,
THIS GIRL HERE IS DATING THAT GUY THERE.
This girl
That guy
What...
OH, REALLY!?
THEN THE RUMORS WEREN'T TRUE!
yay
YEAH.
I'M COMPLETELY FOCUSED ON MY JOB.
That's awesome.
See ya.

UMM...
GRR...
WHAT KIND OF JOKE IS THIS!?
!?
IF YOU WANT TO STEAL HER BACK, I OBVIOUSLY CAN'T STOP YOU.
BECAUSE YOU'RE THE ONE THAT SAWA LIKES!!
Ah!
AND LET'S GET THIS STRAIGHT.
I'M DUMPING YOU!
YOU'RE NOT DUMPING ME!
Got it?!
.....

But!
BUT!
BUT THAT NIGHT...
Hey!
GEEZ...
Hmph!
YOU SAVED ME BECAUSE YOU WERE AT MY SIDE!
HONEST!

STOP CLINGING TO ME!
OW OW OW!
I'M TELLING YOU...
YOU STILL HAVE THAT BAD HABIT...
WELL...
THAT'S JUST MY OPINION.
BUT STILL, HAVING SOMEBODY LIKE YOU BY MY SIDE...
REALLY ISN'T TOO BAD AFTER ALL...

ALRIGHT,
THE REST IS UP TO YOU GUYS!
Nyan~!
Oh crap!
I HAVE TO GET BACK TO WORK. I WAS JUST STOPPING BY FOR A BIT.
Gotta go.
AH
HEY!
SUGISHITA-KUN...

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"THE REST IS UP TO YOU GUYS!"
HE SAID THAT, BUT...
What should I say now?
WHAT SHOULD WE DO?

WHAT DO YOU MEAN...
IF YOU'RE WILLING,
I'D LIKE TO START OVER WITH YOU.
BA-THUMP
.....

I REFUSE.
REJECTED

Please enjoy this scene from three viewpoints.
WHAT !?
Uhh...
WHY?

Put your hand... over your heart...
DON'T ASK ME WHY!
YOU PUT YOUR HAND OVER YOUR HEART AND THINK ABOUT IT!
YOU ALWAYS DECIDE THINGS FOR YOURSELF!
YOU DIDN'T ASK ME...
YOU DECIDED YOURSELF TO BREAK UP WITH ME!
YOU WOULDN'T LISTEN TO A THING I SAID!
AND YOU UPSET A WHOLE BUNCH OF PEOPLE!

AND WHEN I FINALLY DECIDED TO FORGET YOU ONCE AND FOR ALL, YOU JUST HAD TO DO SOMETHING TO MAKE EVERY-BODY WORRY AGAIN!
AND WHEN I WAS FINALLY ABLE TO MOVE ON TO A NEW RELATIONSHIP...
YOU STARTED BEING A JERK ABOUT IT!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN "START OVER"?!
EVEN IF WE GET BACK TOGETHER,
THERE'LL BE ANOTHER DAY WHEN YOU JUST LEAVE ME WITHOUT SAYING A WORD!
I DON'T WANT THAT AGAIN!
I'LL BE IN SO MUCH PAIN,
BECAUSE, RAN...

BECAUSE I LOVE YOU, RAN...!
SORRY.
SORRY.
I'M REALLY SORRY!
I'M SORRY.

WHAT CAN I DO TO MAKE YOU FORGIVE ME?
I THINK...
WE NEED TO TALK MORE...
MUCH, MUCH MORE...

OKAY.
EVEN IF IT'S SMALL TALK, I DON'T MIND.
I JUST WANT TO TALK.
ALSO,
IF THERE'S NICE WEATHER DURING THE HOLIDAYS,
I WANT... TO GO OUT ON DATES.
OKAY.
OKAY.
I LIKE RAN'S VOICE.
YOU ? DO?
AND I WANT TO GO TO HOKKAIDO TO MAKE UP FOR THAT TIME WE DIDN'T.
OKAY.
I KISSED SUGISHITA-KUN...
Twice...
IF IT WAS ONLY TWICE...
Just forget it.
ALSO...

WHAT?
JUST SAY IT.
Umm...
THIS IS A LITTLE EMBAR-RASSING...
I WANT YOU TO SAY, "I LOVE YOU."
WHILE YOU...
HUG ME TIGHT.
OKAY.
I KNOW.

It doesn't matter if I'm feeling despair from the pitch-black darkness in front of me...

I LOVE YOU...

Or if I'm feeling dizzy from all this happiness.

You are the only person who can make me feel this way.

clatter
Wah!
STOP PUSH-ING ME!
Idiot!
bump
bump

EH HEH.
YOU...
YOU GUYS...
SAW...
CAN'T YOU GUYS GET A CLUE?
Geez~
We were just at the moment of truth.
RAN!
You'd better stop right now!
AWW, WE WERE JUST TEASING YOU GUYS!

bow
I'M REALLY SORRY ...
FOR MAKING EVERYONE WORRY.
THIS IS GREAT...

YEAH.
THANKS.
Heeey~ How about we celebrate with a party today?
Ding Dang Dang
Ding Dang Dang
Unknown number...
Who is it?
Unknown Number
BEEP
HELLO?
Ah.
HELLO?!
!!

...YES.
I'M AT SCHOOL RIGHT NOW.
OKAY.
YES.
THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
WHO ...?
BEEP
AKIRA-CHAN?
The phone?
WHAT SHOULD I DO?
THE EDITOR OF BERRY CALLED...
THEY SAID THAT THEY'RE WILLING TO PUBLISH THE MANUSCRIPT I SENT IN...
THEY'RE GOING TO LET ME HAVE MY DEBUT...

EHHHHH!?
That's awesome!!!
CON-GRATS ...!!
GIVE ME AN AUTO-GRAPH!
How much is the prize money?
Just to seek happiness...

In the future...

We'll definitely...

continue walking on this path like this...

Through hugs, through obstacles...
HER NAME IS "CHIE".
クリニック
産婦人科
DO YOU WANT TO HOLD HER?

Through tears...
Or through laughter...
XXth Heaven's Wing Academy High School Division
Graduation
Ohhh~
She's so small...
Hold her head up.
Sachi wants to see!

WHERE DID SAWA AND MATSUYUKI GO?
SAWA SAID SHE FORGOT SOMETHING. THEY WENT BACK TO CLASS TO GET IT.
OH...

YOU'RE...
GOING TO COLLEGE, RIGHT?
STUDYING WHILE WORKING ...
YOU'RE PRETTY AMAZING!
Awesome!
Uh, NOT REALLY,
Just what is "work-study"?
I'M STILL SOME WAYS AWAY FROM THAT.
I'M STILL NOT EVEN SURE IF I CAN MANAGE BOTH.
BUT...
IN THE FUTURE,
I'LL BE MEETING MANY NEW FACES. EACH WITH THEIR OWN STORIES.
THAT WOULD BE GREAT.
I THINK SO TOO.

HOW INCREDIBLE!
I NEVER IMAGINED ANY OF THIS THREE YEARS AGO!

……

!...
W...
WHY...
"YOU'RE ALWAYS SO INCONSIDERATE"
"OF THE FEELINGS OF THE PEOPLE AROUND YOU!!"
...DO YOU REMEMBER?
YOU HIT RAN REALLY HARD IN OUR SECOND YEAR.

I WAS REALLY HAPPY.
THE MOST IMPORTANT THING IS...
YOU WERE THINKING OF ME AT THAT TIME.
I REALLY LIKE YOU, NAGASHIMA.
SORRY...
FOR MAKING YOU WAIT THIS LONG.
...
PLEASE GO OUT WITH ME.

Don't cry.
Hey!
TAGUCHI, TAGUCHI!
OVER THERE! HURRY! LOOK!
I'm jealous.
They're so happy...
.....

?
WHAT...?
A girl is confessing to him?!
EHHH!?
He rejected her?!!
AHHH~ HAHAHA!
POPULAR GUYS ARE SURE HARD TO GET.
HEYY!
WHY DID YOU REJECT HER!
You're so CRUEL! She was so brave to do that, too!
YOU'RE SO ANNOYING!
You monster!

YOU...
ACTUALLY LIKED HER ALL THESE THREE YEARS, HUH?

L-LIK-LOVE... NO!
OH, NEVER-MIND~
.....
...WELL, DUH! OF COURSE!
.....
OGAWA-KUN.
.....
WHEN WE GO OUR SEPARATE WAYS, WILL WE STILL BE FRIENDS?

Graduation Ceremony.
At the podium.
Giving a speech.
YOU JUST SAW HIM.
WHAT?
NO, NOT THAT!
I MEANT AT HOME!
HOW HAVE THINGS BEEN WITH YOUR FATHER?
I found what I forgot.
Ah...
HE SMILES MORE OFTEN THAN BEFORE.
I COOK DINNER AND EAT WITH HIM.
So?
How is it?
Yup.
What does "Yup" mean?
You old guy.
Ehhh!
REALLY!?
I can't imagine that!
AHAHA HAHAHA!
.....

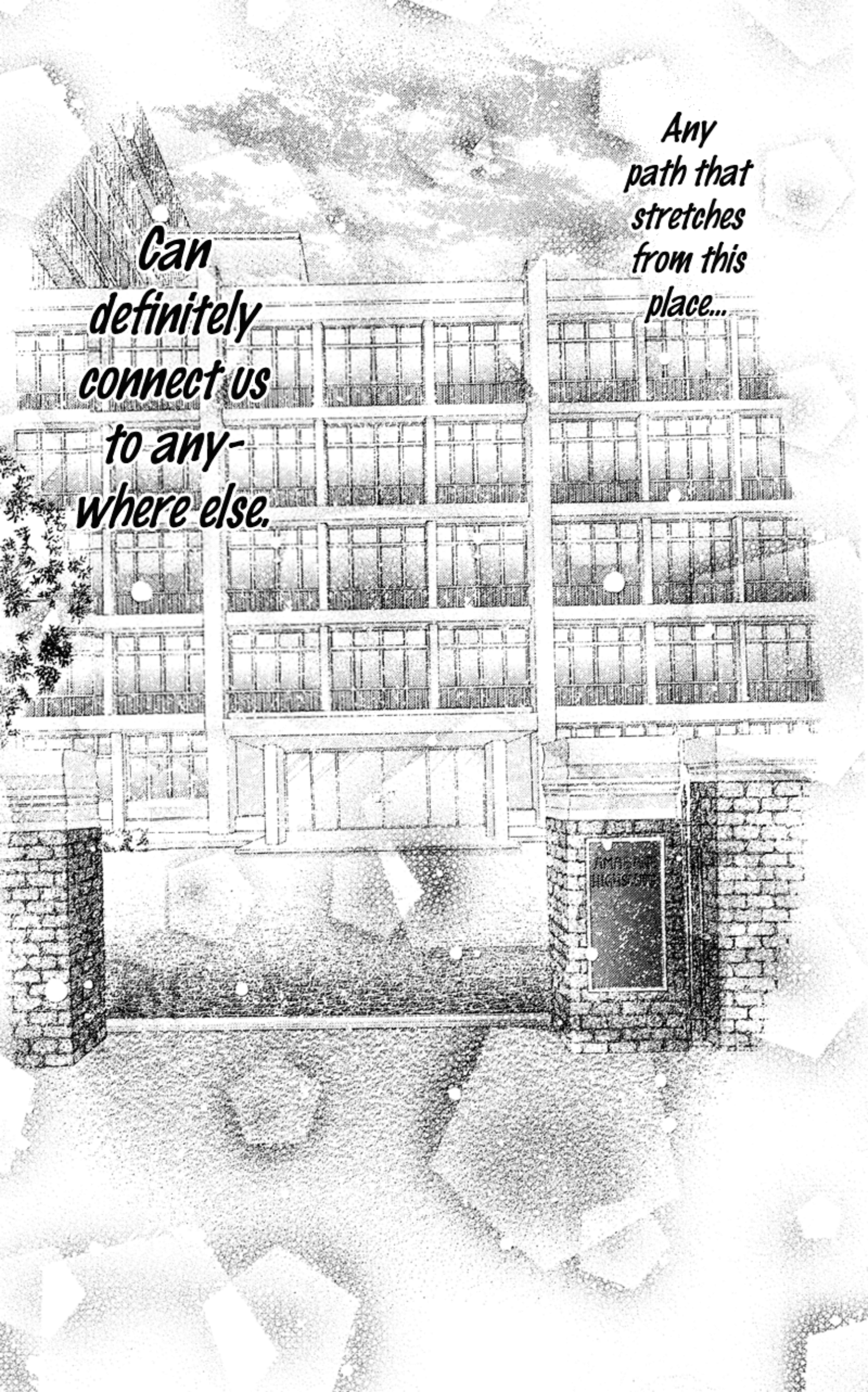
NAH, I WOULDN'T TEASE YOU LIKE THAT.
TODAY IS THE LAST DAY...

I WAS SO CONFUSED!
AT THE BEGINNING OF MY FIRST YEAR,
I THOUGHT, "IS THIS HEAVEN OR HELL?"
BUT...
YOU GUYS WERE CHASING THE TEACHERS,
AND FIGHTING EACH OTHER.
Hahaha
YOU WERE PRETTY EVIL!
That year he was especially naive and innocent; he can't endure those words now.

SO?
WHAT'S YOUR CONCLUSION?
Heaven? Or hell?
YOU OBVIOUSLY KNOW THE ANSWER...
ding ling ling
ding ling ling
Hm?
ALRIGHT THEN,
LET'S GO.
Heeey!
ANGRY
WHERE THE HELL ARE YOU TWO!?
THE THANKING CEREMONY IS GOING TO START !!!
Urk!

...ALRIGHT.
Looking back...
School was only a small playground.
However, to us...
This place was once like Heaven.
Oh!
THEY'RE HERE!
MAN, YOU GUYS ARE SLOW!

Sorry we made you guys wait!
Well...
Where are we going in the future?
Eh? You and Tsubaki-kun?
Don't say it out loud~


Any path that stretches from this place...
Can definitely connect us to any-where else.

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MATSUYUKI

EH?
SERIOUSLY!? AKIRA-CHAN!
YUP, OGAWA-KUN SAID HE WOULD DO MY MAKEUP FOR MY WEDDING RECEPTION.
Wah~ THAT'S GREAT!
OGAWA-KUN IS IN EUROPE FOR WORK, BUT HE SAID HE'LL COME BACK FOR THE RECEPTION...
I FEEL A LITTLE GUILTY...
REALLY?
THIS IS AN AMAZING TIME IN YOUR LIFE, KYAAAA~ AKIRA-CHAN AND TSUBAKI-KUN'S WEDDING CEREMONY~
.....
... PLEASE, STOP TALKING. U
Trying to draw and talk on the phone at the same time.

I found a stable job!
Salesman
Programmer
I don't want or need a high salary. I just want to rest...
I THINK KIDO AND TAGUCHI GO OUT WITH OGAWA-KUN AND SUGISHITA-KUN FOR DRINKS.
Ah~
THEY ARE BOTH IN THE ENTERTAINMENT INDUSTRY, SO I'M SURE THEY'D RUN INTO EACH OTHER.
SPEAKING OF OGAWA-KUN,
I THINK HE SEES SUGISHITA-KUN SOMETIMES.
Currently starring on TV shows and movies.
I need a makeup artist.
ACK.
YOU CAN'T CLIMB UP ON THAT,
AOI!
Ah.

WAAA

Hahaha!
WELL, OBVIOUSLY!
I THINK MIYAJI-SENSEI DUG UP RAN'S PERMANENT RECORD. HE THE SCOLDING OF A LIFETIME.
Hahaha~
WHO EVER THOUGHT MATSUYUKI-KUN WOULD BECOME A TEACHER...
I'M NOT GOING TO!
STOMP
STOMP
GRRR,
HEY, GIVE IT BACK!
STOMP

CLONK
OUCH!
HEY!
JUST WHAT CAN'T YOU LET PEOPLE SEE?
STOMP STOMP STOMP
DON'T RUN IN THE HALLWAYS!
MATSUYUKI-SENSEI!
GRAB
SENSEI!
I WANT TO GO OUT WITH YOU!

I CAN'T STAND YOU!
SENSEI IS SO MUCH MORE HANDSOME THAN YOU!
tuh?!
YOU THINK THIS OLD GUY LOOKS BETTER THAN ME?!
.....
Forget it.
sigh
I UNDERSTAND YOUR FEELINGS,
BUT I REALLY MY WIFE AND SON, SO I HAVE TO REJECT YOU.
.....
ALRIGHT, THE BELL IS GOING TO RING.
You can really make people really frustrated!
Geez~
well that's because you...

I'll tell you now that...
"AH, GEEZ!"
"RAN, THERE YOU GO AGAIN!"

Class will begin~
THAT'S ENOUGH, PLEASE SIT DOWN.
Wah~
The place that I returned to...
The place where I came back to life...
The place where I found a new path...
don
Jump
The place where it all started...
Heaven's Wing

It was here that I met you.

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Now please enjoy....!!

Go!

THE ANGEL SAWA STORY UP TILL NOW:

Sawa is an angel.

One day, she was saved by Ran, a devil who seemed to have dropped out of the clouds at that moment.

If you want to read the story yourself, check out volume 5.

But Sawa secretly helped him to escape.

☆

After that,

Ran sneaked into Heaven and was caught.

But...

Romance between an angel and a devil is forbidden in Heaven.

These two have gradually grown close... What will happen to them...?!

Let's find out...

THE ANGEL SAWA

FINAL CHAPTER

HA~

Notice about earth exchange student exam.

WHAT'S UP?
YOU'RE SIGHING.
YEAH...
MY EARTH EXCHANGE STUDENT EXAM IS COMING UP.
EARTH EXCHANGE STUDENT EXAM?
ANGELS WHO WANT TO BECOME ARCH-ANGELS...
ARE REBORN AS HUMANS AND HAVE TO GAIN EXPERIENCE AS THEY STUDY ON EARTH.
BUT TO BECOME AN EXCHANGE STUDENT, FIRST YOU HAVE TO TAKE AN EXAM.
I'VE FALLEN BEHIND ON MY STUDYING...
Everyone says...
Earth is a nice place.
ON EARTH, YOU CAN DRESS IN COOL CLOTHES...
THEY HAVE GAMES.
IT'S A LOT OF FUN.
Not just these lame tunics.

I want to go, too...
But...
She can't fly, so she has never seen Earth before.
I HAVE DEFORMED WINGS.
I'M NOT SURE IF I CAN BE AN ARCH-ANGEL.
ON TOP OF THAT,
I WON'T BE ABLE TO SEE RAN-KUN ANYMORE...
Even if I'm a no-good angel,
even if we can't be in love,
This way, we can still see each other from time to time...
Wham
R-
RAN-KUN?!
Hmph!

re-whoo
ALERT!
Gasp
re-whoo
ALERT!!
A DEVIL SNEAKED IN AGAIN!
flap
flap
WH-WHAT SHOULD I DO?
RUN, RAN-KUN!!
I WON'T.
WHAT ?!
GRAB
RAN-KUN...
Damn you...!
DON'T SAY SUCH THINGS.
YOU WANT TO BE AN ARCH-ANGEL, DON'T YOU?!
SAWA, LISTEN UP.
IF I'M CAUGHT THIS TIME, I'LL BE VIOLATING THE LAWS OF HELL.
I WILL BE BANISHED TO EARTH.

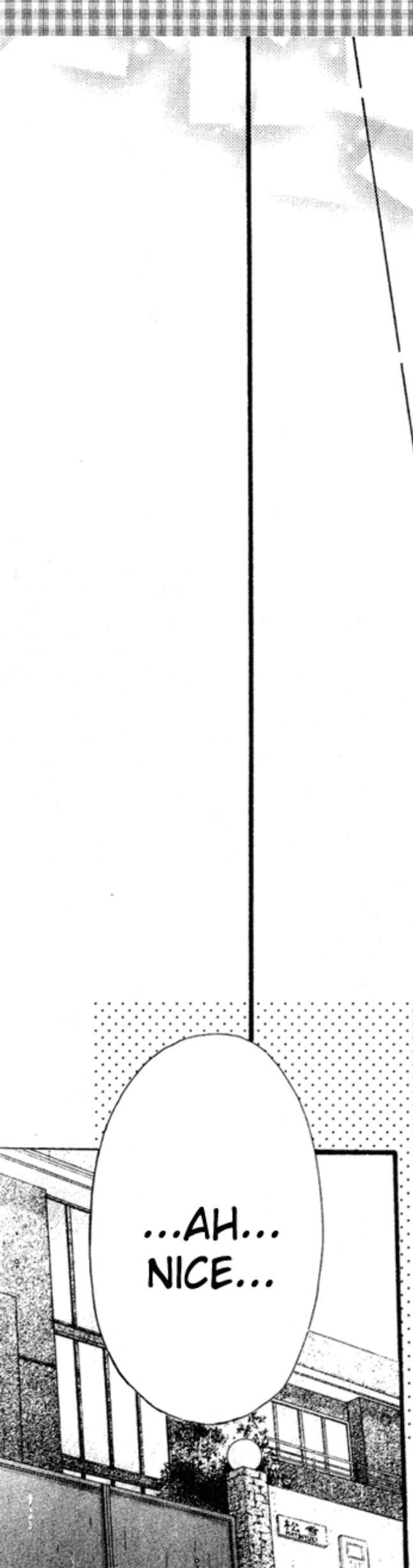
Huh...
... IT'S FUNNY, ISN'T IT?
TO GO TO EARTH, ANGELS HAVE TO PASS AN EXAM.
AND DEVILS ARE SENT TO EARTH AS A PUNISHMENT.
I WONDER WHAT KIND OF CRAZY PLACE EARTH IS...
YOU DEFINITELY HAVE TO TAKE THAT EXAM.
SO,
NOW COME WITH US, YOU DEVIL!
WE CAN BE A COUPLE.
STOP YOUR BLABBING.
BUT, ON EARTH,

I WILL FIND YOU...
WHEN YOU ARE ON EARTH.
FOR SURE...
Yeah.

I'll do my best.
Earth exchange student exam course of study
Name: Sawa
PASSED
I'll do my best, Ran-kun.
Even if...
Earth isn't at all like Heaven.
Even if Earth turns out to be a place...
where a lot of sad, painful and difficult things happen.

We will meet again,

and be happy.



DON'T YOU THINK IT WOULD BE ROMANTIC?
ARE YOU CRAZY?
Whatever.
A happy ending...
What~?
THE ANGEL SAWA / THE END ♡

About The Angel Sawa

So, that was the end. (laugh)

The Sawa in this story felt a bit dumber than
the regular Sawa, but that made the drawing more fun. ...Well, Sawa is also pretty dumb...

Also
Drawing a manga with such fat lines felt fresh.
It was hard to put so much pressure on the brush though (laugh).

Ah, archangel Tsubaki also made an appearance! Did you notice? (laugh)

A really short one though.

Whether on Earth, Heaven or Hell,
each person still has their goals, though.
The place they're born, the people surrounding them,
etc, those elements greatly depend on luck, huh...
It's hard for everyone to become happy, huh.

... I'm starting to lecture so
I will end it now~ (laugh)

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I love cute...
and beautiful things.
SHE'S CUTE.
A very beautiful...
boy with blonde hair.
I remember it even now.
OH... THIS IS YOUR SISTER?
That memory of when I was little

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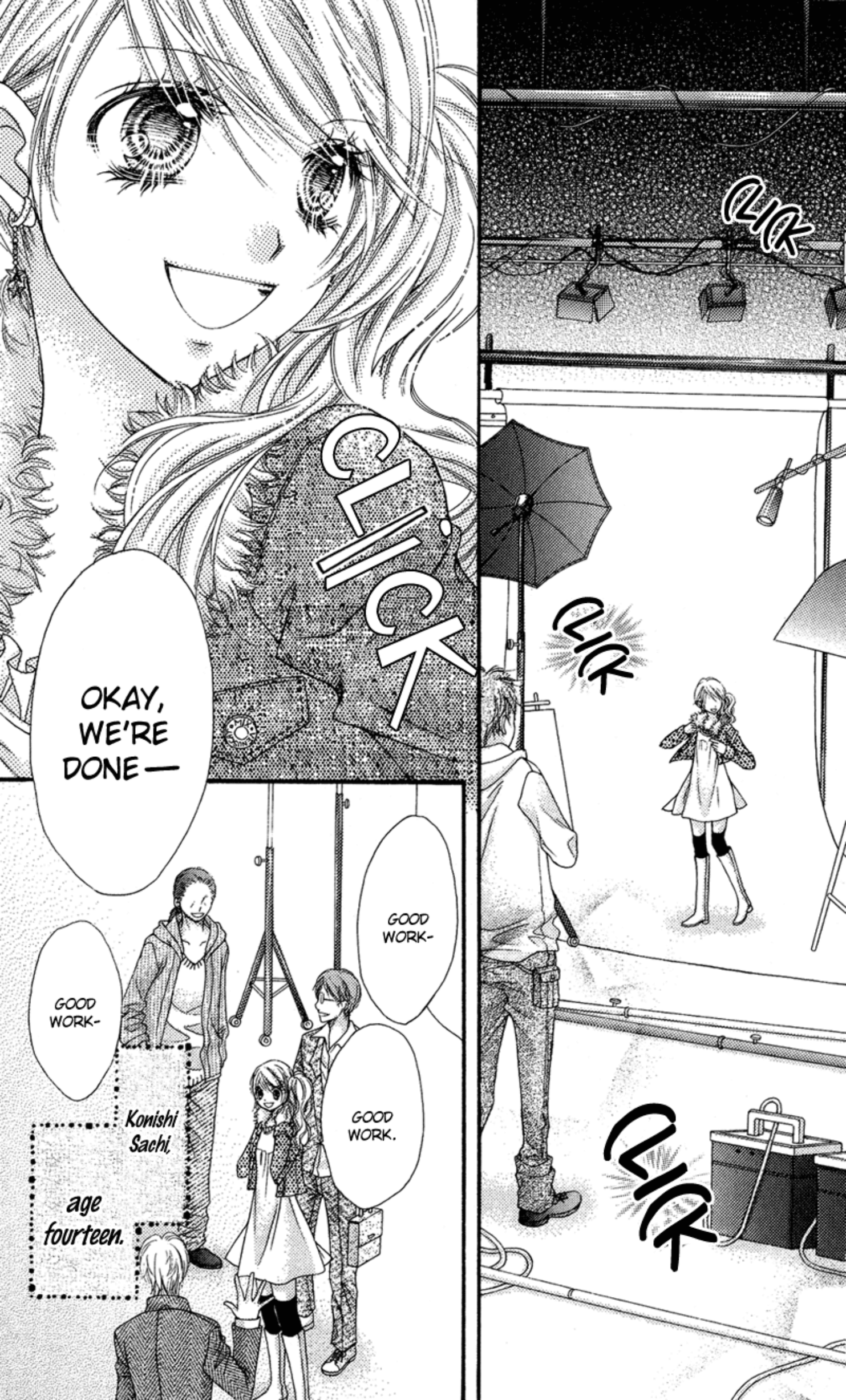
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OKAY, WE'RE DONE—
GOOD WORK-
GOOD WORK-
GOOD WORK.
Konishi Sachi,
age fourteen.
CLIK
CLIK
CLIK

I SAW IT, SACCHAN!!
THIS MONTH YOU'RE ON THE COVER~!!
Not only do I go to high school...
I'm also a model.
First for a magazine aimed at pre-teens. Now for older teens.
EVENTEEN
THAT'S GREAT~!
THE OUTFIT YOU'RE WEARING ON THE COVER REALLY SUITS YOU~
Cute
THANKS...
Hmph!
DON'T GET ARRIED AWAY,
UGLY GIRL!

DONT WORRY ABOUT HER.
HANA-OKA-SAN AGAIN...
Sacchan...
YEAH.
I WON'T.
She's strong...
And wears the school uniform the way she wants...
That's right.
I don't have time to worry about small things.
Ding Dong
onee-chan~
I'm coming in!!
Slam

AH.
OH.
WELCOME,
SACHI...
OGAWA-KUN!!
Uh-oh!
Shock
!?
Hey!
SACHI!!
I HEARD YOU WERE COMING OVER.
SO I WAS LOOKING FORWARD TO IT!!
HAHAHA.
Surprisingly, he doesn't move at all.
HMM...? YOU'RE THIN, AREN'T YOU?
MODELS WHO ARE TOO THIN AREN'T THAT POPULAR AROUND THE WORLD, YOU KNOW.

...THEN, IF I EAT A BIT MORE AND GET A NICE BODY...
Will you marry me?
...
HAHA.
REALLY...
YOU'RE LIKE THIS EVERY TIME I SEE YOU.
Ogawa-kun is my sister's and my brother in law's friend from high school. He's a professional hair and make-up artist.
He's usually abroad, but...
From time to time, he comes over to visit.
I became interested in modeling
after Ogawa-kun told me about this world.
Sachi elementary school year 2
SACHI, DO YOU WANT TO TRY BEING A MODEL?
I'm in charge of an advertisement that needs a child. You fut the image perfectly.
Model?

I want...
to be compatible with him.
The job began to be more enjoyable,
and my feelings towards him grew.
HE'S GREAT, ISN'T HE?
HE'S THE TOP ARTIST OF HIS AGE GROUP!
Huh?
SACCHAN, YOU KNOW OGAWA-SAN?
←Stylist

I love...
Ogawa-kun.
WHAT~
YOU'RE ALREADY GOING HOME?!
I'M SORRY!
RAN, KONISHI, SEE YOU LATER.
YOU TOO, SACCHAN.
YEAH.
TAKE CARE...
down
poof
...WE'LL SEE EACH OTHER AGAIN SOON.
?

HUH.
AN ADVERTISE-MENT FOR SHISEIDO?!
THAT'S RIGHT.
THE FAMOUS MAKE-UP COMPANY!
THEY WANT TO BRING A NEW ITEM ON THE MARKET, AIMED AT TEENS. THEY'RE DOING A BIG SELECTION
FOR A MODEL TO FIT THE IMAGE!
YOU HAVE TO DO YOUR BEST!!
Waaaah...
THEN,
THE PERSON IN CHARGE OF HAIR AND MAKE-UP,
...PLEASE COME IN.
OPEN

"WE'LL SEE EACH OTHER AGAIN SOON."
!
BE KIND TO ME, SACHI.
LET'S BOTH DO OUR BEST.
Yahoo~
OGAWA-KUN?!

Wow!
Wow, wow!!
I really want to do my best now!!
I HAVE TO HAVE THE BEST PHYSIQUE POSSIBLE.
I'm doing sit-ups, hold my legs down for a while~
Sit-ups?
Hey~
THIS IS BAD.
THEY'RE LOOKING THIS WAY AGAIN.
HANAOKA IS IN LOVE WITH A BOY WHO LOVES SACCHAN.
So...
SHE'S JUST VERY JEALOUS-
THAT BOY DIDN'T WANT TO DATE HANAOKA, SO NOW SHE RESENTS SACCHAN.
HMPH.

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Extra chapter 7

There's one more author talk here, even though I thought there wouldn't be any more.
(I just really wanted to write this)

I had already thought up this story about Ogawa and Sachi when I first started drawing the series.

When I mentioned a story about a boy and a girl entering a fashion contest, one of my coworkers at the magazine said "It should be Ogawa and Sachi!" What a coincidence!?

And the fans have been talking about them too, in their letters. Some girl wrote me "Please make these two a couple!"

Can you get used to it...? The couple with a the biggest age difference in Rockin' heaven?

(laugh)

THIS IS BAD.
I'M LATE BECAUSE I HAD TO CHANGE CLOTHES FOR PHYSICS.
YOU BETTER WATCH OUT...
SACCHAN.
A few days later, the day of the photoshoot.
YOU'RE LEAVING SCHOOL EARLY AGAIN, KONISHI.

AREN'T YOU GETTING TOO CARRIED AWAY LATELY?
"HANAOKA IS IN LOVE WITH A BOY WHO LOVES SACCHAN."
...LET ME TELL YOU THIS.
I ALREADY LIKE SOMEONE. HE DOESN'T GO TO THIS SCHOOL.
SO DON'T WASTE YOUR TIME COMING AFTER ME.
DO WHAT YOU WANT.
I HAVE TO GO.
WAIT.
ARE YOU MAKING FUN OF ME?!
YOU...

...WHAT'S THE MEANING OF THIS?
SHE'S JUST A KID. SHE'S NOT AS RESPONSIBLE AS AN ADULT.
THIS IS SUCH A BOTHER.
GEEZ, THIS IS WHY...
I'M SORRY.
...
YOU KNEW HOW IMPORTANT THIS PHOTO-SHOOT IS, DIDN'T YOU?
RUINING YOUR FACE LIKE THAT...!

IT CAN'T BE HELPED, RIGHT...
OGAWA-KUN, CAN YOU DO SOMETHING ABOUT THIS?
I CAN COVER THIS UP.
SORRY...
I'M REALLY SORRY...
IT'S OKAY.
I'M SORRY FOR GIVING YOU MORE WORK.
I'LL TELL THE PHOTOGRAPHERS AT ONCE.
REALLY? THAT'S GREAT.
THEN, I'M COUNTING ON YOU.
I'm embarassed...
I finally got such an important job...
I finally got to work together with him...
MAKE UP ROOM
CLOSE

YOU DIDN'T MAKE ANY EXCUSES.
EXCELLENT, EXCELLENT.

... I DON'T KNOW WHAT HAPPENED BUT...
IT SEEMS PRETTY BAD.
The bruise.
thump

He's scolding me...
BUT,

REST ASSURED,
I'LL MAKE YOU THE CUTEST GIRL IN THE WORLD.
DON'T CRY.
IT MAKES YOU UGLY.
"DON'T WORRY ABOUT HER."
"I WON'T."
"SHE'S STRONG..."
I'm not strong at all.

Ogawa-kun sees right through it all.

But even that kind of thing...

I haven't grown up that much yet.

I have to pretend...

Otherwise, I can't stand next to him.

I LOVE YOU.
KNOCK KNOCK
EXCUSE ME...
Ah!
IT'S TIME...!
Are you ready~?

⇦A studio here
WELL, I'LL GO THEN...
YES.
DO A GOOD JOB!
CLICK
CLICK
CLICK

sfx: click
GOOD WORK...!!
YES...
OKAY!

Sacchan, good work~
Good work~
AH... I WONDERED HOW IT'D TURN OUT.
YOU DID WELL, AS USUAL!
THANK YOU!
Hahaha!
OGAWA-KUN...
NICE WORK.
YOU WERE GOOD.
REALLY ?!
... I STILL HAVE TO GIVE YOU THAT REPLY.
...IN THE FUTURE, IF YOU...

GO TO HIGH SCHOOL,
GET MORE JOBS AND MEET LOTS OF PEOPLE,
AND EVEN HAVE A LOVER,
I THINK I WILL STILL BE PROUD...
THAT YOU SAID THAT YOU LOVE ME.
...
YOU'RE...

It seems...

I can't give up...

said something slightly peevish to me.

Just because Ogawa-kun...

"CONFESS TO ME AGAIN WHEN YOU TURN EIGHTEEN."

Heh~

EIGHTEEN AND THIRTY-ONE...

THAT'S NOT TOO BAD.

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Okay, then.

What follows is the data for the main characters of RH, their their definitive one-liners, and 4koma showing slices of their lives after the final volume.

This "follow-up 4koma" has a pretty modern feel, so beware if you're still basking in the mood of the last volume before reading this. ᵕᵥ

(These follow-ups occur in various time periods. Not really many punchlines.ᵕ They're more like essays!)

Also, the characters' measurements and weights are written down. I guess you should consider it data from the start of the second high school year.

Sachi and others'

(There are exceptions)

By the way, I'll just say it, the data aren't an especially precise matter to me, wait, that's not actually true.ᵕ It's on the level of, "Line up this and that one together and see who's taller," so it's just for visualization.

...So, have you finished reading the special?

For this special I wasn't really sure whether to intersperse it over 45 pages or have as 25 continuous pages. I chose the latter. Ogawa and Sachi aren't really made for tragic heroism, are they... Hm.

In the following 4-koma I drew a glimpse of them four years later.

Tsubaki's pretty tall!
Kido's shoe size is too small ᵕ
If Susan saw my feet (and she likes macho men), she'd yell at me something like "WTF, all their feet are so tiny!!" :D

So enough excuses and prefaces.

character Data + 4koma, start!!

Konishi Sawa

Born: February 28

Zodiac sign: Pisces

Blood type: A

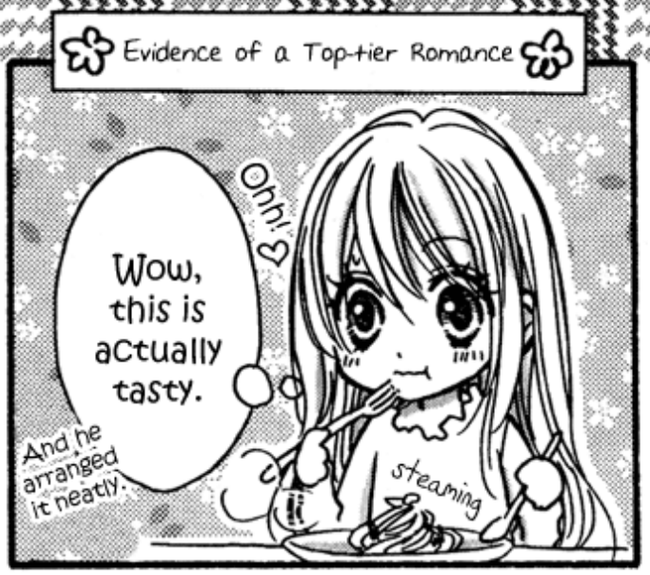
Body length: 157cm

Body mass: 42kg

Shoe size: 23.5cm

Commentary

I for one think that this girl is a top-tier "heroine-like heroine." Despite all the trouble with all sorts of hairdos, she's really fun to draw.

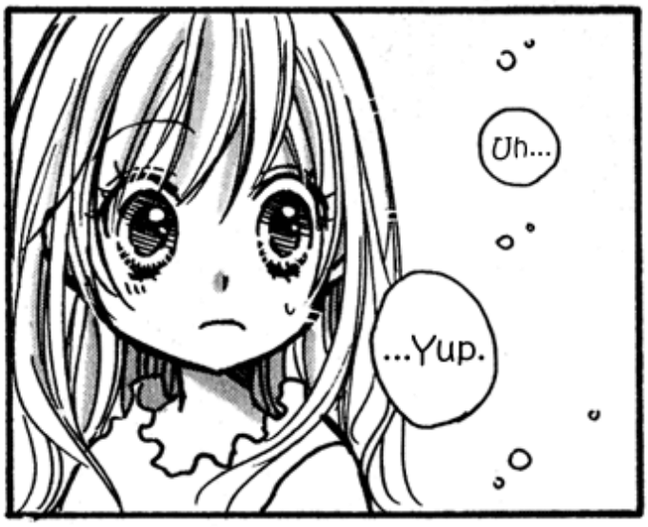

Evidence of a Top-tier Romance
Wow, this is actually tasty.
Ohh!
And he arranged it neatly.
steaming

Grown Up
The first Sunday after Ran found a job and got to live together with somebody :V
Hey.
What do you want for lunch?
Lunch
Oh, is it that time?

To think he didn't used to know you add seasoning when you boil pasta.
I just keep falling into h... Wait.
Because he's naturally talented. And he's a fast learner.

Maybe whip up something random?
Myself.

He's just... so perfect. Can he even exist!?
Idiot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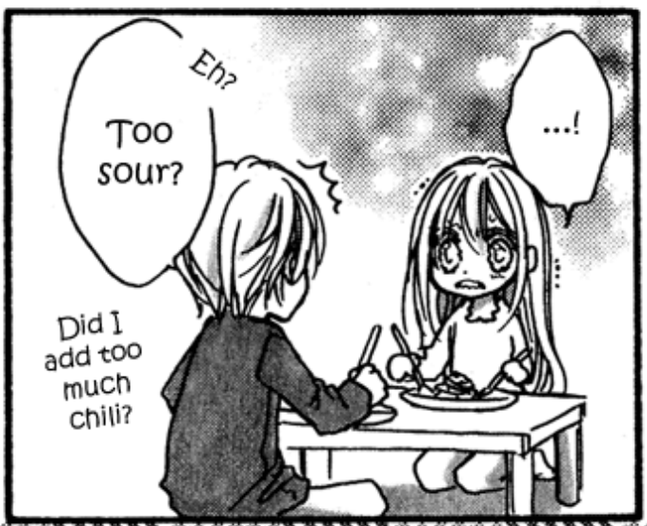

Eh?
Too sour?
...!
Did I add too much chili?

Ahh...
pssshh
This guy can say something like that naturally now...
random
heartwarming

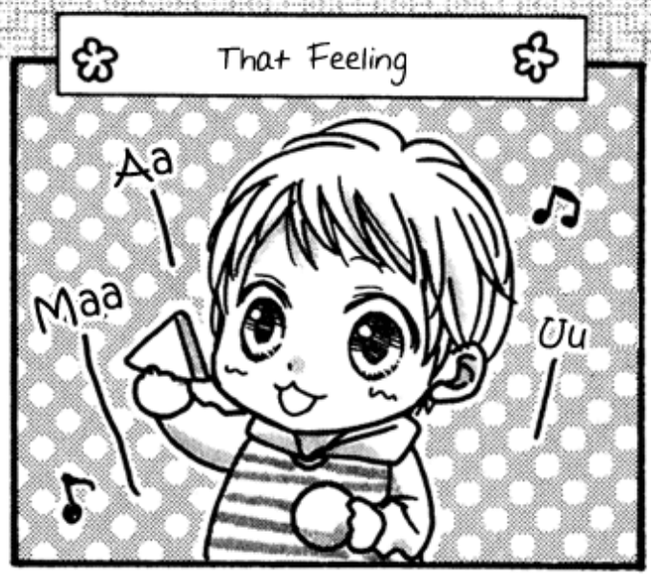
Uh, now his face looks like he's 13 ~~ ;
Ran
Matsuyuki Ran
Born: July 18
Zodiac sign: Cancer
Blood type: A
Body length: 174.5cm
Body mass: 54kg
Shoe size: 27.5cm
Commentary
He's all my preferences (as far as manga goes) put together. Sorry he's gloomy, lol. "In a fight with parents." well, I've wanted to draw/write this theme. Yeah.

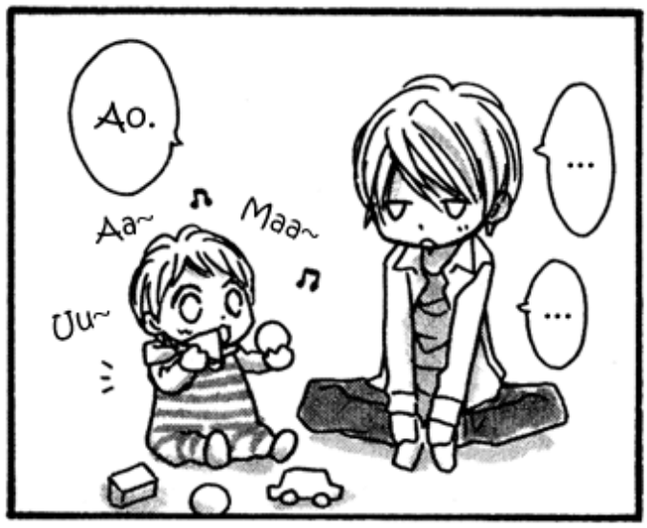
Ao takes entirely after Sawa. When he grows up he's likely to say "Meh, I wanted to be like Dad." :D

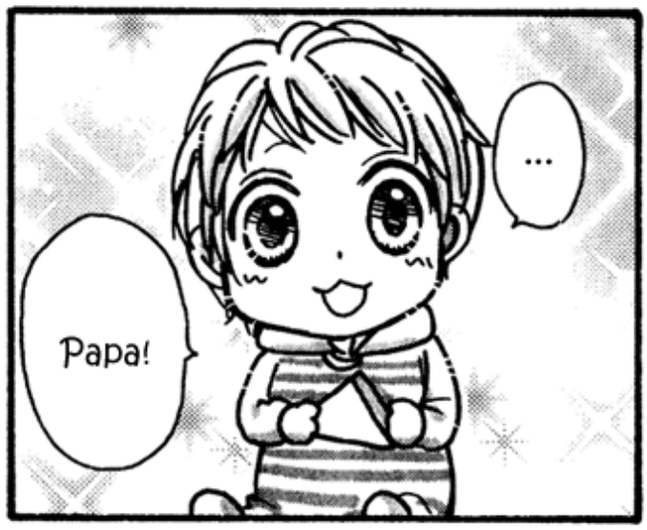
Did you know that Ran's parents' names are

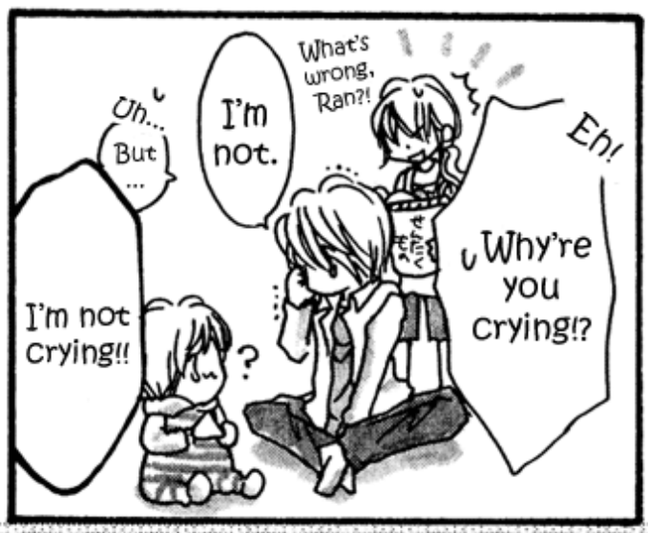
Father's Matsuyuki
and mother's Midori Kanako?

You didn't. They didn't make it into the story... "Ran," blue, came from the sky's when he was born.



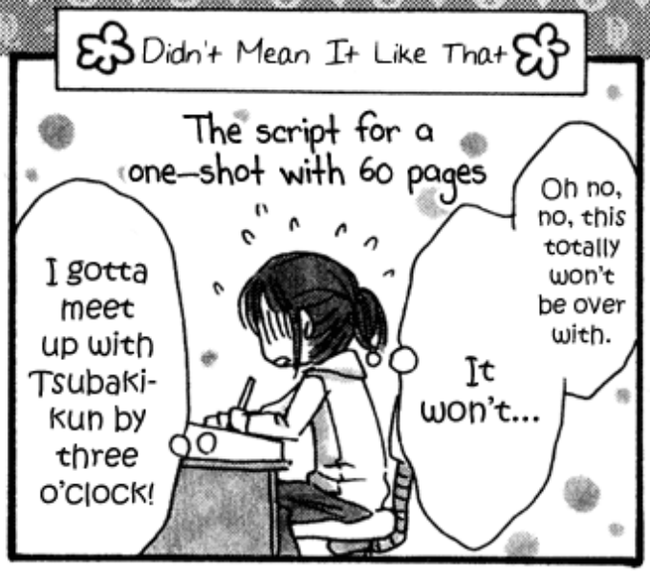






She's had the same short forelock throughout the manga.
Akira
Nagashima Akira
Born: April 6
Body length: 155.2cm
Zodiac sign: Aries
Body mass: 43kg
Blood type: O
Shoe size: 23cm
Commentary She got more people who say, "I associated with her," than Sawa. She's grown into a deeply thought-over character for me. By the way, seems like it's her mother who's buying her common clothing :D

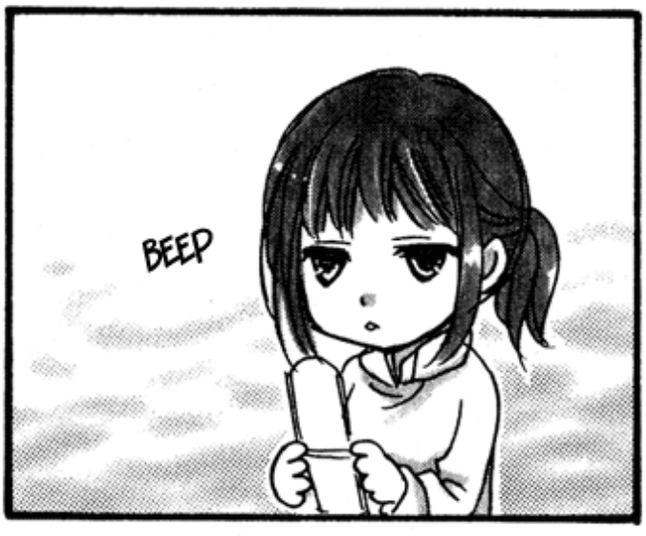
By the Promised Time
DING-DONG
quiet


Didn't Mean It Like That
The script for a one-shot with 60 pages
I gotta meet up with Tsubaki-kun by three o'clock!
It won't...
Oh no, no, this totally won't be over with.

Just wanted to drop this off.
Alms for the hermit.
CAKE
I'll go back now.

Oh.
Okay, it's all right.
Just don't give up there.
Sorry, I'm so sorry.
I just couldn't finish this no matter how I tried...

Sorry I just came over like this. I'm leaving already.
Wait, no, I mean...
...Wait!
My hair's a mess too...
My place is a mess... and I'm not wearing makeup...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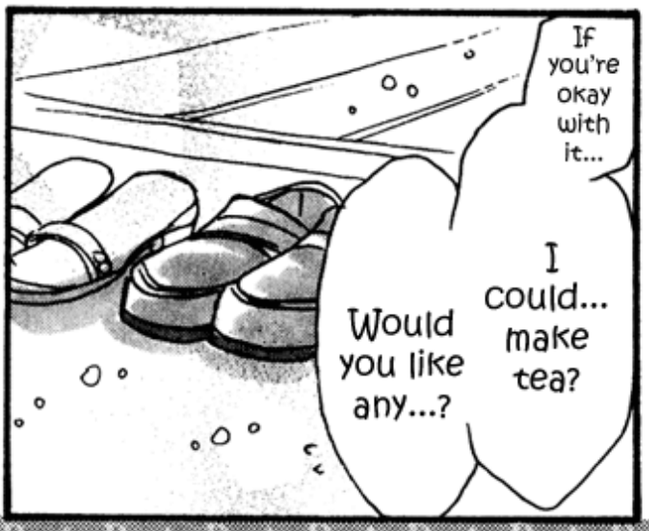
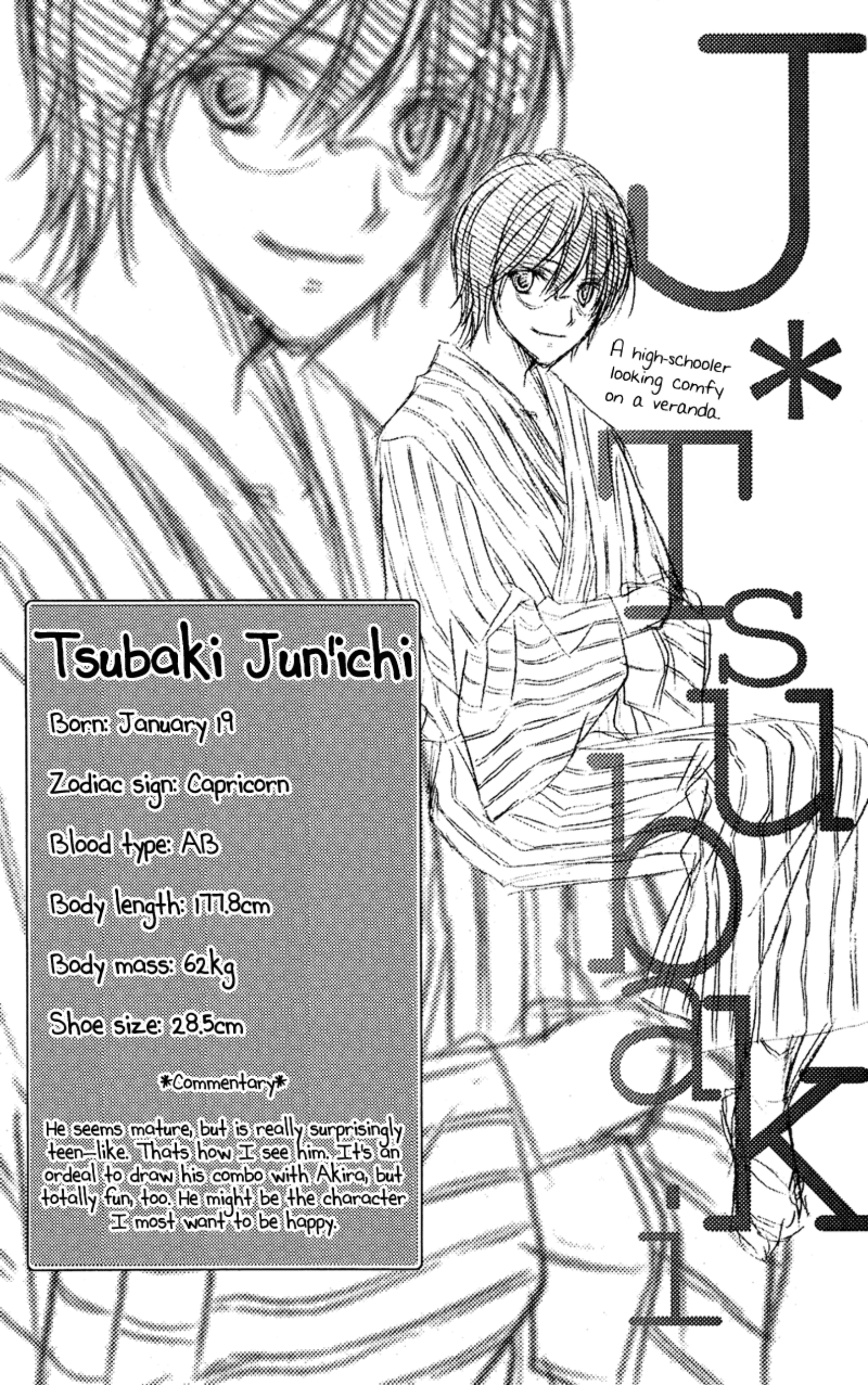

If you're okay with it...
I could... make tea?
Would you like any...?

Really regretted it, so called and explained. Feeling a bit lighter somehow.
AH!!!



Tsubaki Jun'ichi

Born: January 19

Zodiac sign: Capricorn

Blood type: AB

Body length: 177.8cm

Body mass: 62kg

Shoe size: 28.5cm

Commentary

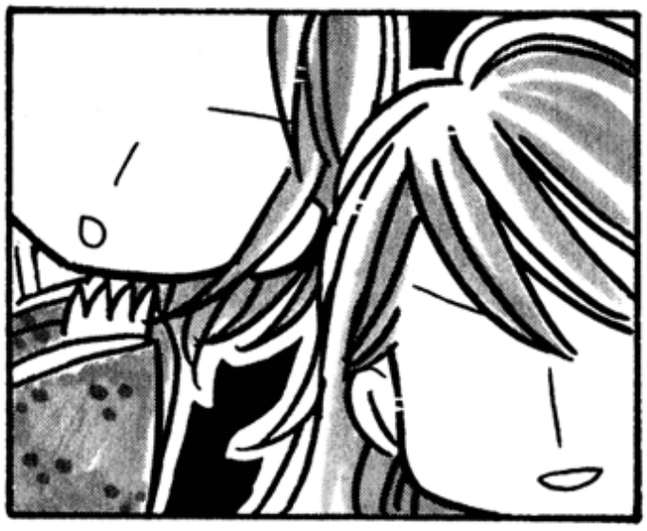
He seems mature, but is really surprisingly teen-like. Thats how I see him. It's an ordeal to draw his combo with Akira, but totally fun, too. He might be the character I most want to be happy.

Tsubaki-nee, the girl on the left, is the first daughter, named Yukari. And the second daughter, Shiho, is on the right.

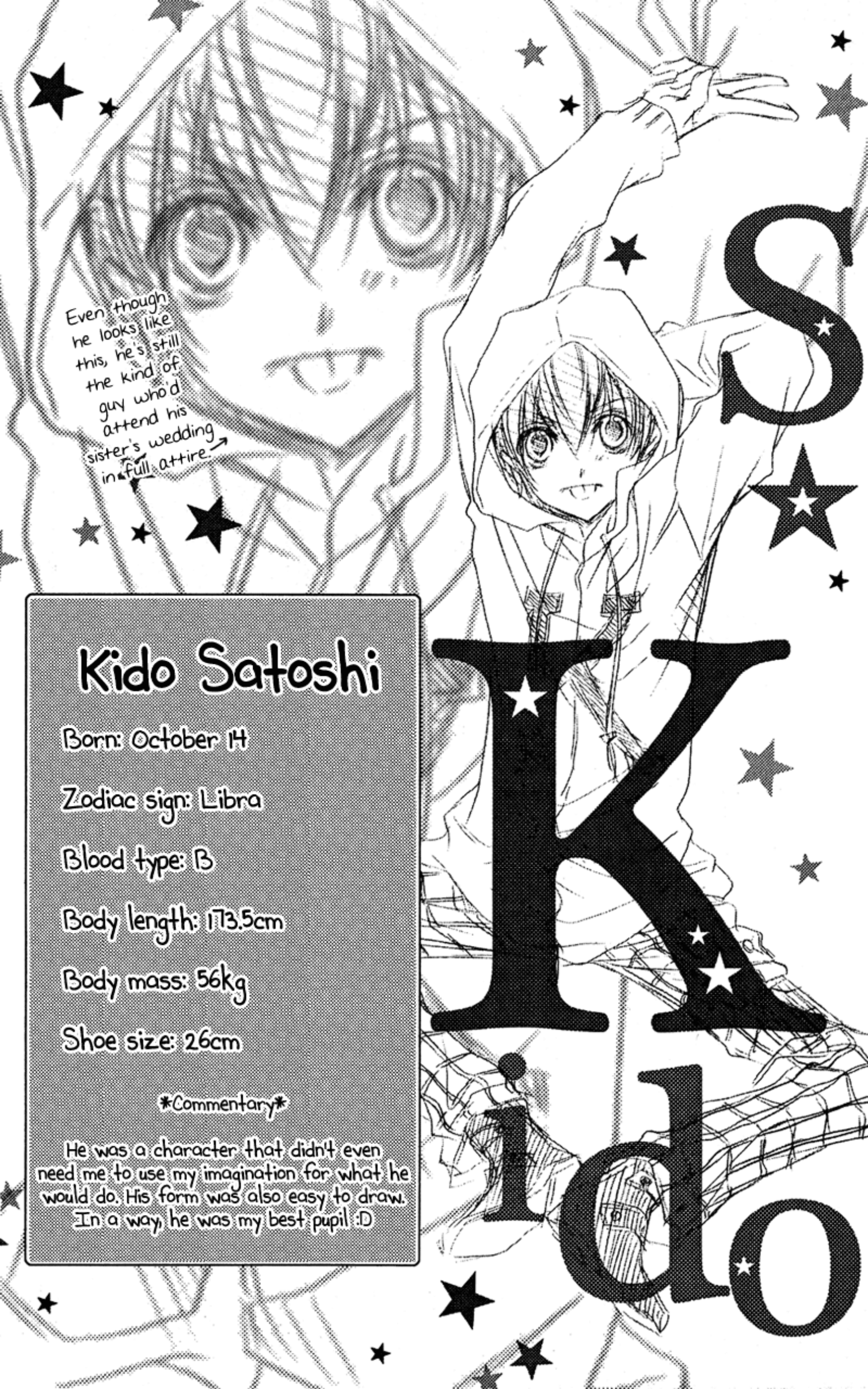
They didn't make it into the story either.

Speaking of which, Akira will become "Tsubaki Akira" when they marry. Damn cool :D Even more like a penname. :D

Tsubaki and Akira aren't like Ran and Sawa, I guess. Tehy're going to have a lot of private time for a while, just the two of them.



Akira is being favoured!



Kido Satoshi

Born: October 14

Zodiac sign: Libra

Blood type: B

Body length: 173.5cm

Body mass: 56kg

Shoe size: 26cm

Commentary

He was a character that didn't even need me to use my imagination for what he would do. His form was also easy to draw. In a way, he was my best pupil :D

What's Your Name?
Oh...

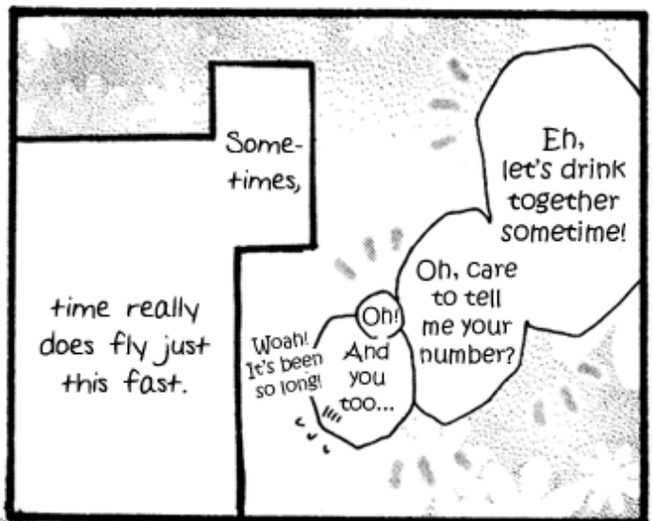
A Working First-Year Student
Been dating a girl since he began university three years ago. She dumped him.
Let's break up!
Very easily too..
Wuh!?

Eh...?

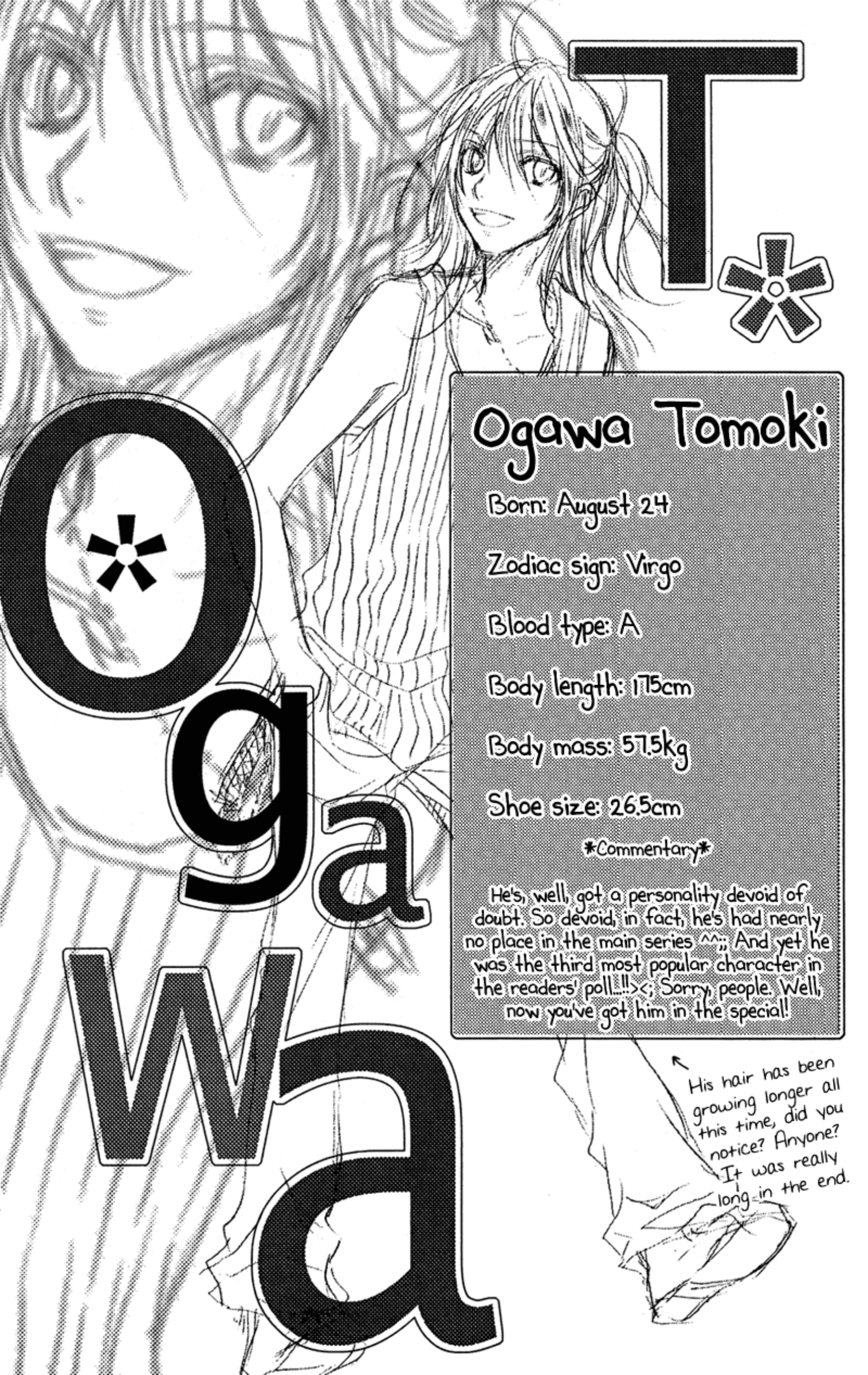
He drank a lot with Taguchi.
Now, now,
STUPID WOOM EEN!

Ehh
Mioko-chan!! Huuuh!?
Uh, Kido-kun...!?
So you work here!?
That's awesome, me too!!!

The next day:
Hung over
Hic!
C'mon.
Kido~ You okay!?
Cause this is an important agreement we're gonna make!


Sometimes,
time really does fly just this fast.
Eh, let's drink together sometime!
Oh, care to tell me your number?
Oh!
Woah! It's been so long!
And you too...

Hey...
Are you all right?
How about some water...



Ogawa Tomoki

Born: August 24

Zodiac sign: Virgo

Blood type: A

Body length: 175cm

Body mass: 57.5kg

Shoe size: 26.5cm

Commentary

He's, well, got a personality devoid of doubt. So devoid, in fact, he's had nearly no place in the main series ^^;; And yet he was the third most popular character in the readers' poll...!!><; Sorry, people. Well, now you've got him in the special!

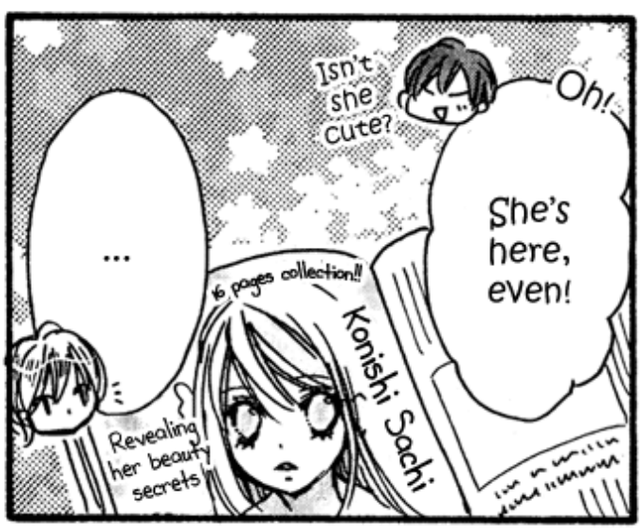
His hair has been growing longer all this time, did you notice? Anyone? It was really long in the end.

I loved adding that shine line for his golden hair. Note how even though the special also gets the "blondie line," actually his hair isn't golden, but a bright shade of ashen, I think. ^^v

But it'd be too troublesome to change his look now. ^^

My Fair Lady
At Ogawa's.
Yeah, well, it's getting to me.
Even staff is poking fun at me on that wherever I go.
"Make her happy" and stuff.
Sacchan stalks you?
Weekly magazine
Damn, playboy!!

Instead of playing with who Sachi would love or be loved by, I chose to make Ogawa seriously chased by a female co-worker (in her early twenties~), which is more realistic and dangerous. ;D



Ogawa was the fave character at my workplace. He got steady support in the fan letters, too. Thanks! But in this special, he couldn't appear in the main part because of timeline issues.><;v

But he did appear in the drafts, so good thing I could draw him through!

And drawing him alone in the modern setting makes him too adult...

Did you notice that Ogawa's salon is called "Brook", which is what "Ogawa" translates to? :) Bet you didn't. Lame pun anyway.

And!
It should've been a pink base, not brown!
Damn, the guy's daft!! I'd do much cuter!!
For this look, anyway.
What a freak!!
Monotonous gloss fits Sachi so much better!!
Sure...
So you do love her, no matter what you say.
And her cheeks are over-done!
The guy's hopeless.

Taguchi Souta

Born: September 17

Zodiac sign: Virgo

Blood type: B

Body length: 171.5cm

Body mass: 54kg

Shoe size: 26cm

Commentary

Didn't mean for him to turn out as a hardcore otaku :D He has an editor guy who associates himself with him, and he was a partially loved character. Dude, teach me "how to PC," too. Seriously.

Personally, I like this → 4koma most of all :D Taguchi's that kinda guy!! =D

He's sure to buy it later!! :D
Wahahaha, he's so nice!

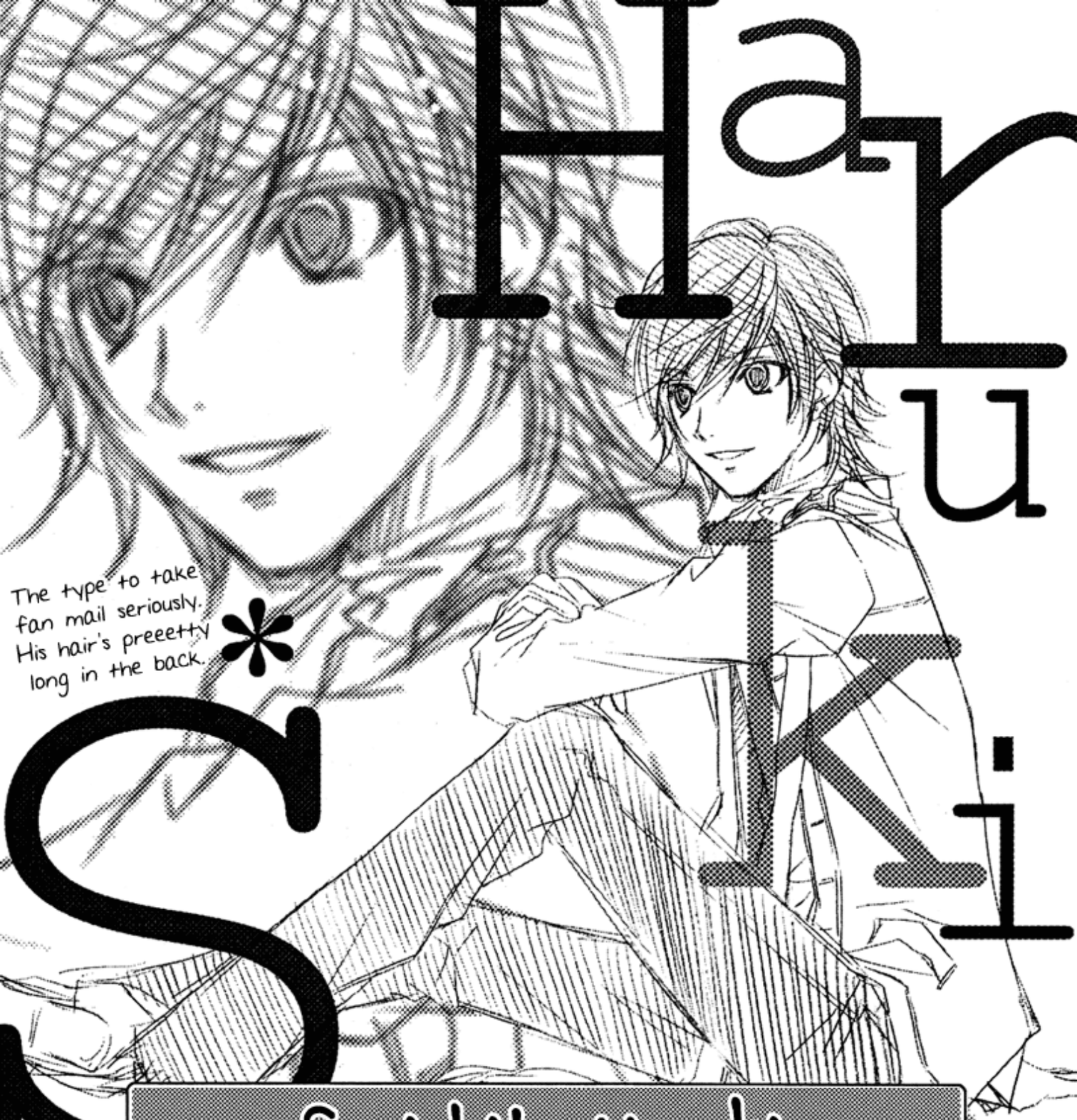
I tried to actually input the email Akira sent to him in chapter 24 on a cellphone one time.

Wanted it to look like an actual mail.

The Akira + Taguchi was, of course, really fun to draw, but the more I did, the more I thought, "They're just friends."

I think Taguchi will surely find a girlfriend later on.

(Another loner like himself or something.)



Sugishita Haruki

Born: April 16 Body length: 176cm

Zodiac sign: Aries Body mass: 58kg

Blood type: AB Shoe size: 28cm

Commentary

Carefree person #2. Should I say he's better suited for work. Either way, he's even more interested in people than Ogawa, or rather, he wanted to mingle. It was such a bother shading is hair!!! :D

...Okay, what next!? :D

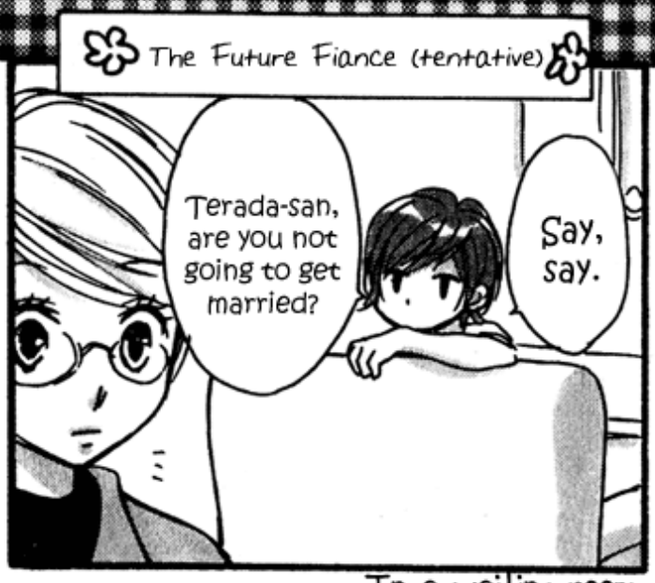
Well, whether these two will stick together... I think Haruki probably doesn't stick with coworkers, generally.

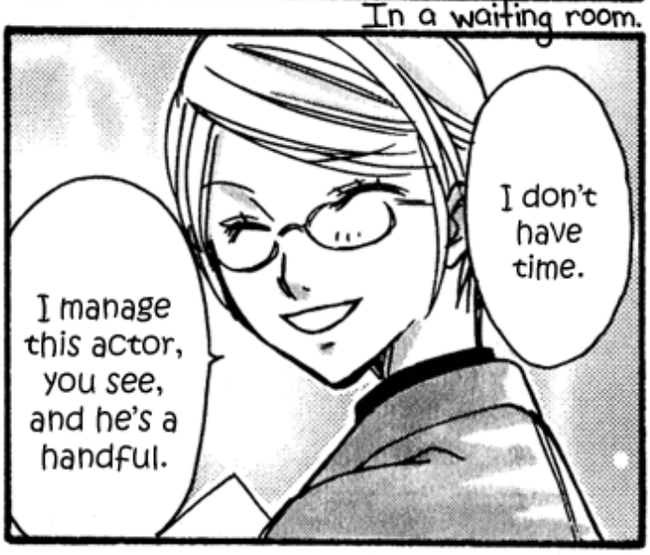
Ogawa and Kido have pretty complex relationships with each other, actually. I had a lot of fun drawing it, even if they were a bit mundane.

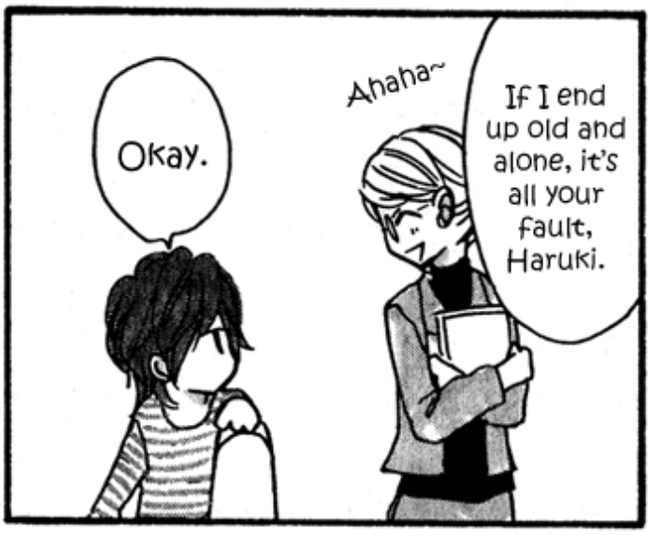
Say, it begins with Haruki's arrival that Kido realizes Ogawa's getting farther from him little by little. But it's not like you can blame it all on him, he just didn't know where to vent his frustration... or something like that.

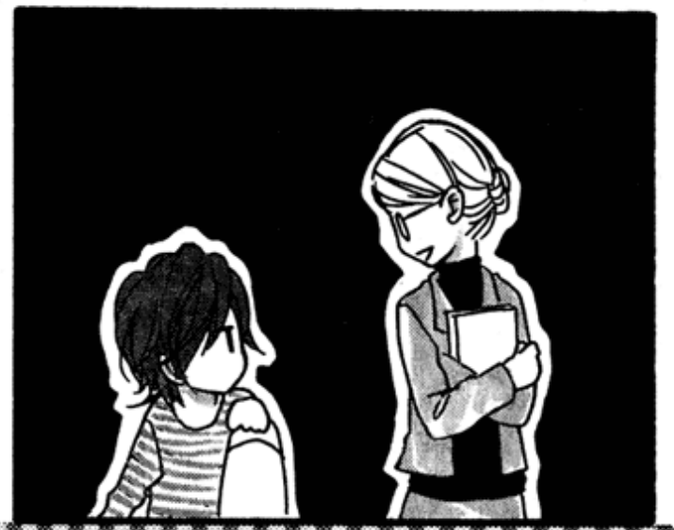
That's adolescence for you!!

I'd like to draw a story with that as a main theme, but male friendship isn't in much demand, is it? :D









I wanted her to appear, but didn't have the chance. White. ♫
The mother is supposed to be flat-chested... It's not how I wanted to do it, but they made me. ;D
Sae K*
Konishi Sae
Born: December 2
Zodiac sign: Sagittarius
Blood type: A
Body length: 160cm
Body mass: 45kg
Shoe size: 23.5cm
Commentary
My most adored images all combined, more or less. I love moms like this. :D I'm really glad I could draw her and papa's story in th special!

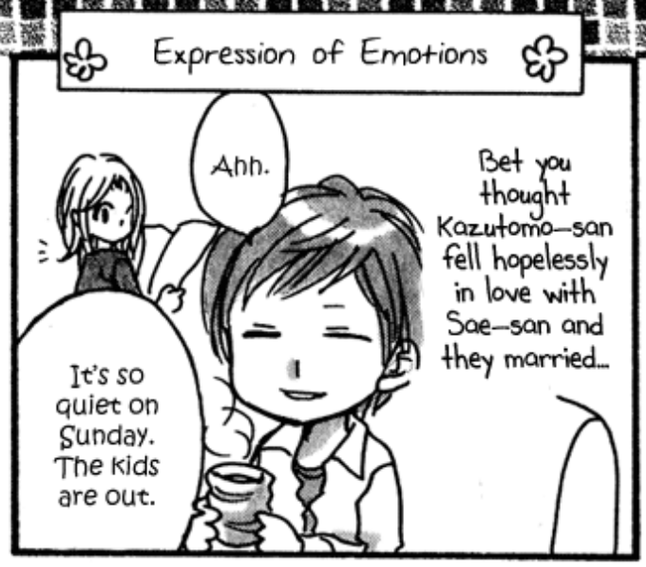
I liked drawing this couple's everyday activities.

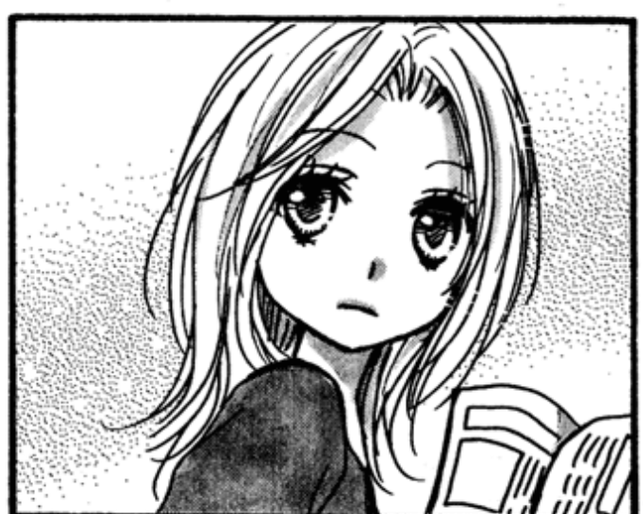
They love each other a lot. It's faded some, but they're still "lovers." Admirable.

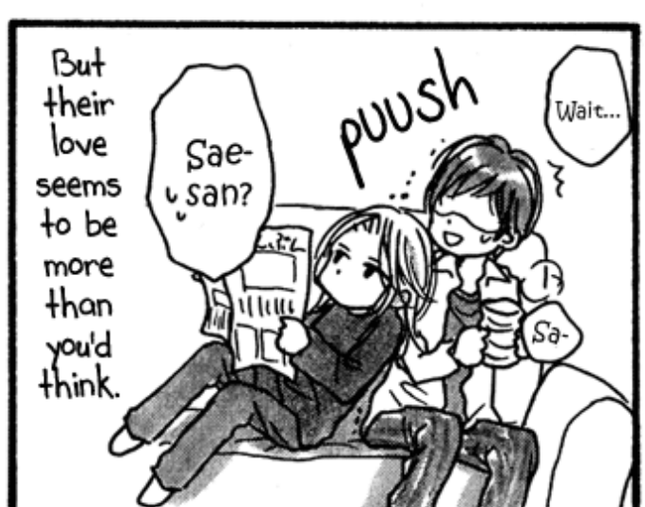
No matter how many arguments, their relationship remains the same, I suppose.

Well, Sae-san is a character that's developed like an old lady in a way.

Now that Ran's family, she is going to become more of a mother figure for him. Fancy that, heh.


Expression of Emotions
Ahh.
It's so quiet on Sunday. The kids are out.
Bet you thought Kazutomo-san fell hopelessly in love with Sae-san and they married...





Konishi Sachi

Born: June 30

Zodiac sign: Cancer

Blood type: O

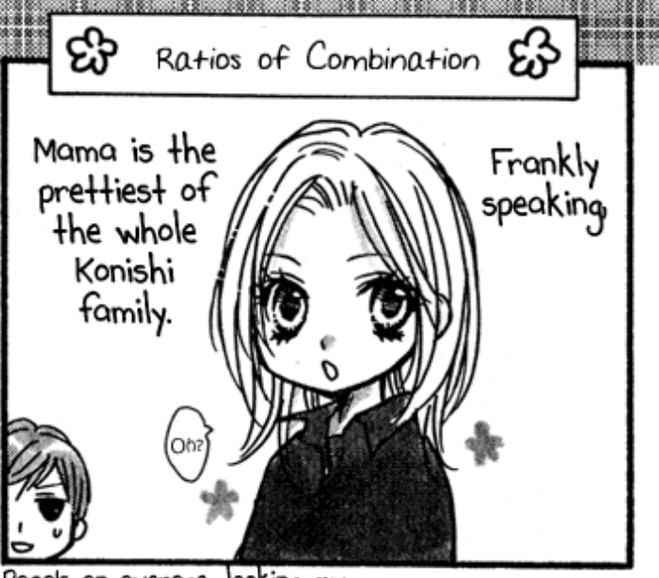
Body length: 157cm

Body mass: 40kg

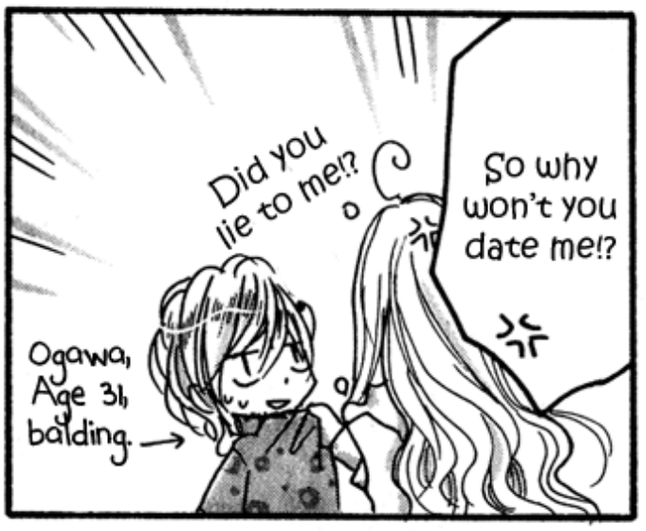
Shoe size: 22.5cm

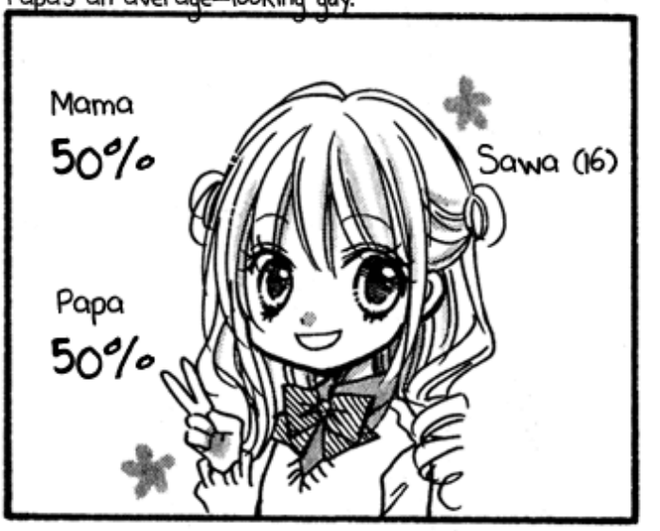
Commentary

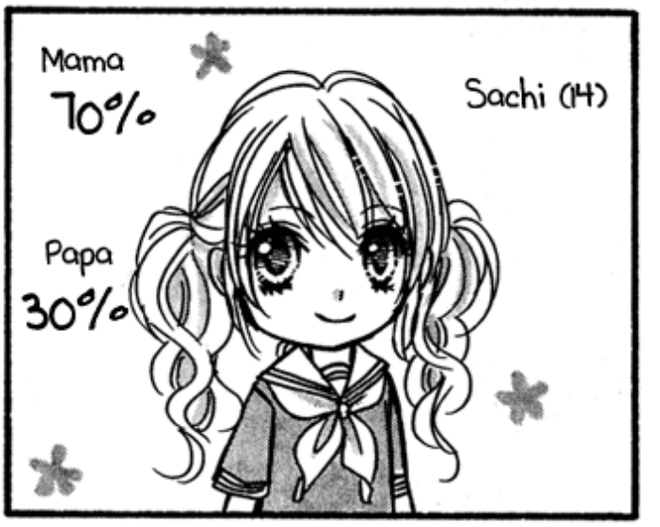
...Sooo she got raised like that, basically :D Wonder why. Supposedly the prettiest of the three Konishi sisters. ...I can't draw any better than this... :D

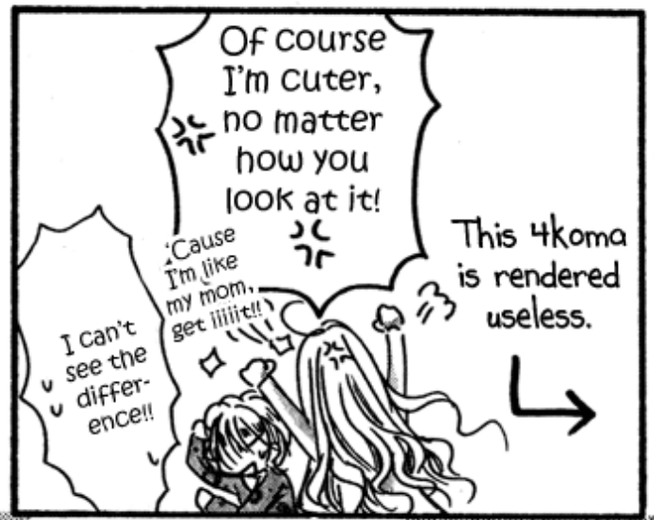


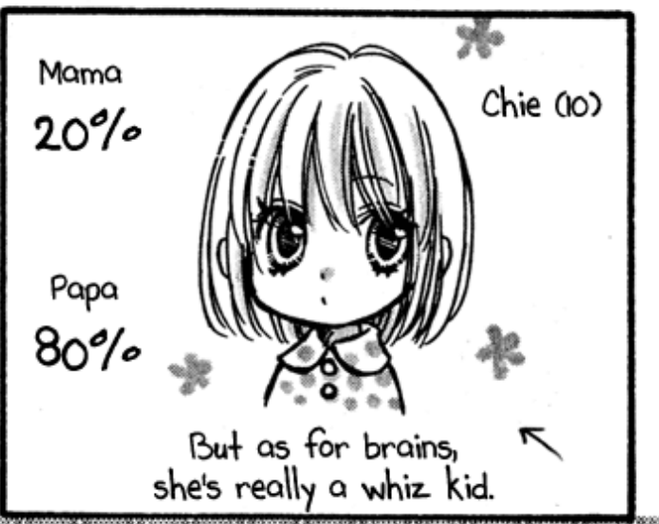
Papa's an average-looking guy.








Of course I'm cuter, no matter how you look at it!
'Cause I'm like my mom, get it!!!!!
I can't see the difference!!
This 4koma is rendered useless.



So why are you single then?

Kazutomo

A dad who makes you think, "if he's nearby, who'd worry...?" Is that too much praise? :)

Konishi Kazutomo

Born: March18 | Zodiac sign: Pisces

Blood type: O | Body length: 175.5cm

Body mass: 63kg | Shoe size: 28cm

Commentary

Doubtless, he's RH's #1 good guy. :D He finds his house-husband role fitting his character so it's all balanced. Loves his family a lot.

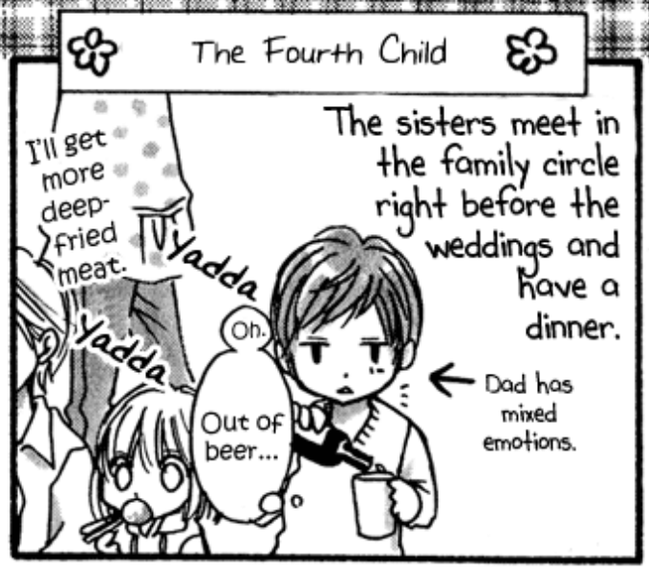
When RH went vomic, I got many readers' impressions, but one stood out and left a special impression: "Papa's voice is cooool!" Many said the same. Seriously many.

His voice sounds really kind and awesome, yeah! Even the voice actor responsible admired Papa during the recording session. :D

That was when in my mind, Papa's stock shot up.

So I'm simplistic, excuse me. >.>;

The chapter 29 flashback frame was fun to draw. Dufflecoat means "warm" to me.


The Fourth Child
The sisters meet in the family circle right before the weddings and have a dinner.
I'll get more deep-fried meat.
Yadda
Yadda
Oh.
Out of beer...
Dad has mixed emotions.

So how was the data and 4koma? Maybe you could write me if you liked any of the 4komas? I'd be happy.

I don't want consolation from someone who's dating Ran-kun!!
You're here now, Ayaka-chan, isn't that enough?
Calm down.
Wait!! Why's that Sugishita-kun get to appear and I don't!?
Never mind me...
...

...So there you go, bonus data.

Shirakawa Yuri

Born on November 9
Blood type A
160cm, 44kg

Kido Ayaka

Born on June 17
Blood type B
154cm, 43kg